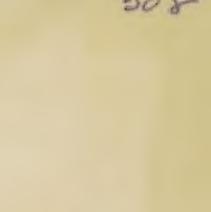
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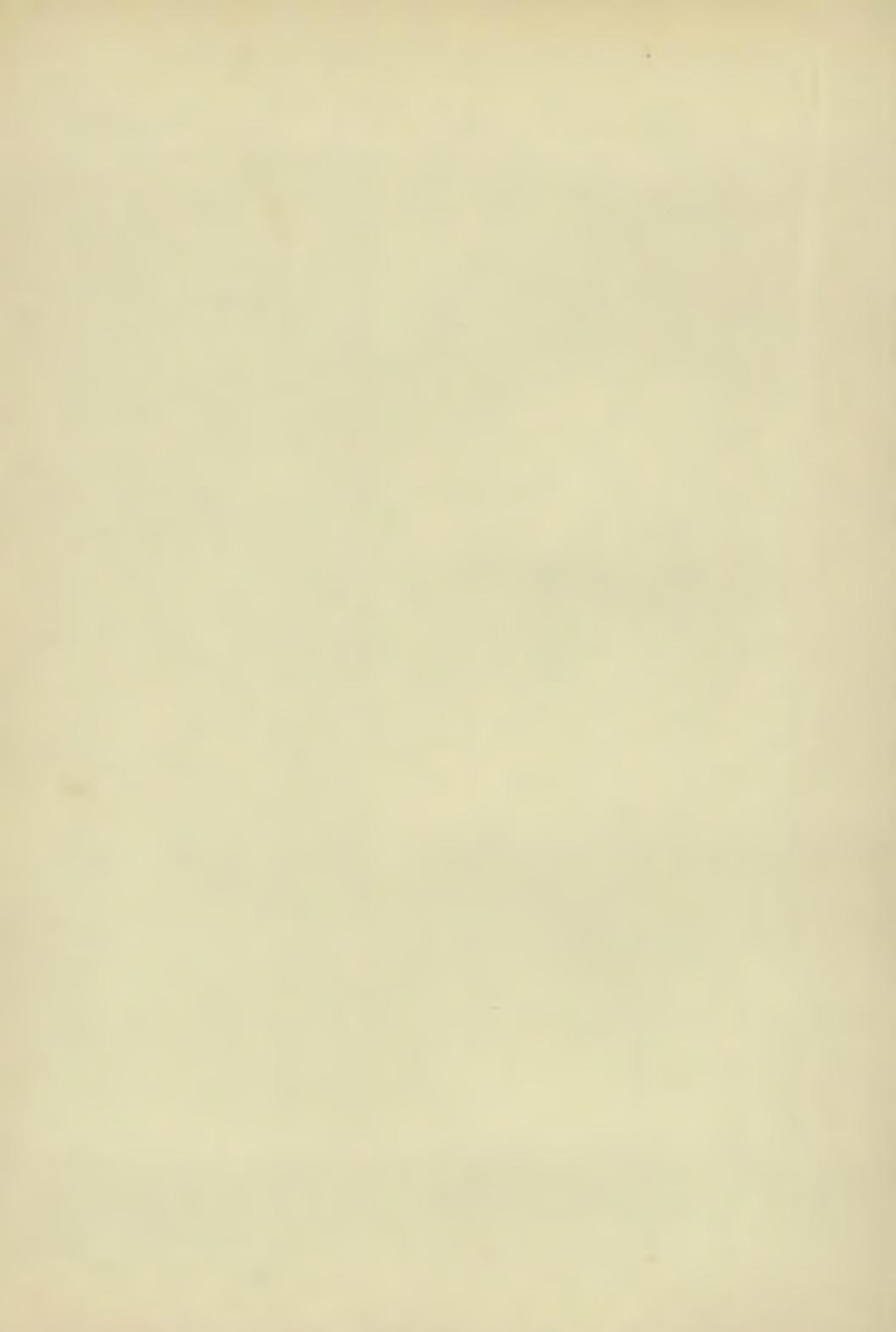
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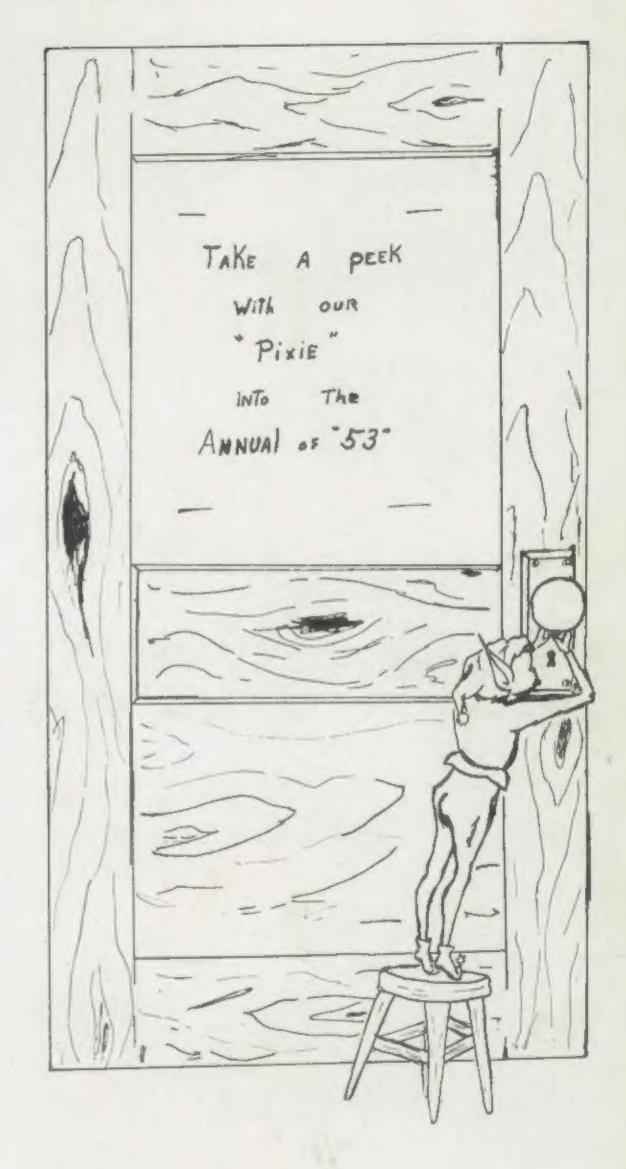
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OFFICE PERSONNEL



Left to right: Inex Harwood, Virginia Leach at typewriter, Merilyn Van Epps, Joyce Bonebright Dolores Vilentine Beverly Barkly Jeannie Smith at telephone, and Joan Riddarsporre

These girls were chosen from the present senior class to assist Mr. Long in his office. They have a schedule of certain periods during the day that they work in the office. For their work in the office, they receive one fourth credit.

Some of the things they do are: sell typing pads and shop cards, type and run off the hot lunch menus for this building, answer the telephone, type eligibility lists for athletic events, and make up each day the attendance sheet summary. At the beginning of the fall, the girls helped also with the rental of books to the students

This is the first year that we have used students in the office and it has worked out very nicely. The girls have done their work very conscientiously. I think the people that have called while they were at work in the office have found them to be ourteons and helpful. The girls themselves have a so received some valuable experience.

FACULTY



FACULTY



MAINTENANCE - BUS DRIVERS

It takes a number of people to have a well run school; administration, school board, maintenance, bus drivers, teachers, and of course students. Our school has often been complimented by visitors and inspectors on the well kept appearance of our buildings. We have our maintenance force to thank for this.

Mr Harry Olson is the member that has worked for the school the longest having started in 1927. Besides helping with the bidlings and driving a bus he has been responsible for the mechanical work on our busses for a number of years. He seems to have that "mechanical touch" that can fix things for us.

Mr. Merle Wyland is in his 10th year here and besides helping with the maintenance of the high school building has charge of the heiting of the high school building. The fact that we get through the school year with the minimum of discomitant speaks well for his work. Merce is always withing to help with the little things we ask and never refuses to look for boxes of things we have tucked away in the stock room.

Mr. James has been with the school for about three years as bus driver, custodian and official 'locker-ip-or' after in etings. He is always pleasant in spite of the fact that we often linger in the halfs talking after our meetings. Mr. Onstott has charge of the care of the new building and he certainly takes a lot of pride in making it look nice. You can see his car parked outside the building late almost every evening.

Our bus drivers: Irvin Bame, Henry Bonebright, Nathan Metcalf, Rollo Click, Virgil Swaim William Babenes John Overholt George Stack Thurman James, and Jesse Onstott have done a very good job of transporting our children safely to and from school. It is really a job with the buses so crowded. Mr. Stack and Mr. James also help in carrying our athletic teams to events in the evenings.

So, to all the people that make our school a success, we give a big vote of thanks for their splendid co-operation.



HISTORY

FIRST GRADE

The year was nineteen hundred and forty-one, A. D. It was a very special day for the citizens of Edwardsburg Michigan, as it was enrollment day at Edwardsburg's Consolidated School. We were all standing real close to our mothers as this experience of school was entirely a new one and not exactly to our liking. The class-roll that year was Marge Gunn, Faye Standiford Burt Blanchard, Kent Claire Incz Harwood, Bob Beopple, Jim Griffen, Chuck Fox, Lois Akin, Laverne Ward, Zane Torrence, Louis Huffman, Robert Fisner, Joyce Bonebright, Ronnie Gordon, Inck Shanahan, Virginia Parker, Martha Geiger Benny Starkweather Gordon Swinehart Janet Baily, Mary Johnson Lois Beckman Bion Carpenter Globa Shetterly and Barry O'Neil Everything was pretty much routine this year. We'll never forget the daily occurrences of Bob Beopple skipping down the hall clutching his rompers for Mary Westfall to "button-up." Our favorite song this year was "I Am A Monkey." If we practiced real hard and sang the song all the way through, we received the honor of standing up in front of the class and singing a solo. Marge had long carls that were very tempting for little boys to pull. More than one of the boys stayed in a week of noons regretting his hasty action.

SECOND GRADE

Our teacher this year was Hazel Westfall. We lost three classmates and gained Marilyn Van Epps, Donna Leist, John Molnar, Virginia Leach and Bette Davis, Being exceptionally well behaved children nothing very serious happened during the year. That is if you don't count the time Dick Shanahan was paddled and the one "small" misunderstanding when Chuck Fox had to stay in for swearing. Our favorite subject was arithmetic with Jo-Jo, the Monkey' a little character that held the balls we had to count. Our favorite sport was "Boy chase Girls." It's very odd how that was to continue to be our favorite sport for ten more years.

THIRD GRADE

Mary Montgomery, Inez Harwood's aunt, was our teacher this year. Inez persisted in calling her "Aunt Mary," so in order to form a more "homey" atmosphere, we did likewise. However, we were dreadfully misunderstood and along with In 2 we were firmly reproved for our efforts. This year was rather uneventful as we discovered there was more to school than just play.

FOURTH GRADE

Inez Harwood, in order to break the monotony, told Mrs. Padbury she had gone to Paris. A very convincing yarn that had to be corrected a bit forcibly by Mrs. Harwood. Shirley Sokock was in our class for a while. Jim Hanson, Joe Jones, and Jeanne Fetters entered, but otherwise it was a rather quiet year.

FIFTH GRADE

This year our teacher was Fleata Cornwall. We lost Virginia Parker and gained Patsy Spenner. This was the year that Virginia Leach received boxes of candy and loads of Valentines from the male section of our class. The top contenders for fair Ginny's attentions were Burt Blanchard, Kent Claire, Jim Hanson and Ronnie Gordon. As for the girls they were more or less concerned with the gallant Stanley Weiler of the sixth grade. Especially Jeanne Fetters and Donna Leist. We'll never forget the time Jim Hanson stood in front of the room making like an airplane, with wide swooping gestures and a motor sound. He had to do this as punishment as he had been doing it quite cheerfully before then to impress his classmates. Strange how airplanes lost their charms to Jim after that! We were so accustomed to seeing Lois Ann Beckman stand in front of the room with a wad of gum on the end of her

nose, that it almost seemed unnatural if she wasn't there. Reading was our most difficult subject this year and also the most strenuous. Lois Ann fainted from reading too much. Mary Lou was drafted in her place and fainted also. Being a brave man to the end, Burt Blanchard carried on until he felt a trifle "whoozy" and the teacher decided we'd gotten enough out of reading for one day.

SIXTH GRADE

This year we gained the Morris twins, Joyce Swanson, Joan Kerr, Dick Cates, and Jackie Mitra. We li always remember the excellent acting of Duane Muff when he used to gaily smile after being thoroughly pounded with a razor strep almost daily. One day we noticed Faye looking rather pale up by the pencil-sharpener. After all, Duane had only sharpened a grasshopper in it before. If anyone ever wanted to find Jim Hanson, all they had to do was to glance up at the front of the room and locate him perched on Mrs. Van Dusen's cheesebox.

SEVENTH GRADE

This year Frank Bickel Leonard Kmitta Stanley Weiler, Toby Osler, Richard Mackling, Truman Potts, Ray Langguth, Laverle Hatch, Barbara Sturges and Ada Hole entered our class. We lost only one of our other classmates, Janet Bailey. We had gained the reputation of the largest class Edwardsburg ever had. We organized the Junior High Youth Council this year and everyone in the high school realized we were there, too. This year, we learned square-dancing in addition to our other studies.

EIGHTH GRADE

In this grade, we gained Nina Armstrong, Pat Canty, Barbara Long, Brownie Bottom Chester kmitta and Joan Riddarsporre. We lost Toby Osler and Dunne Butrick. This year we were superior over the seventh grade and received the pleasure of initiating them for Youth Council.

NINTH GRADE

To enter our class this year were: Janice Johnson, Delores Reinochl, Genevieve Persing Delores Valentine, Pat Poling, and Colleen Phillips. We lost Joann Kerr. Bill Neff, Joe Jones, and Lois Beckman. The beginning of the year started off rather badly as the boys and girls had different home rooms. We protested loudly (as usual) without any success. Our ability in sports began to show this year. We were very proud of Ray Minix, when he got to play on the Varsity team as a regular, much to the upper classmen's envy. Our girl's "Freshman basketball team won every game they played, while the regular girl's team lost some of their games. Our boys got to go to their first track meet and came back red as beets from the sun, and happy over making a good showing. This year we had a high school ministrel show, consisting mostly of freshmen. We'll never forget Mary Lou's part. 'Stay out of the garden boys.' There were two freshmen cheerleaders this year. Marge Gunn and Virginia Leach.

TENTH GRADE

This year Lois Beckman returned and we lost Joyce Swanson and Stanley Weiler We began pairing off in twos this year. There was Marge and Jim. Ada and Wayne, Frank and Nina, and Mary and Ray. Most of these couples are still together. We'll always remember the "line-up" of the couples at noons and between classes. The football team was rapidly depending on the sophomores. Our first "Hayride" was after a victorious football game, with Frank Bickel as the hero. This is the year that our class was best united. We had a lot of good times and consider it our best year in High School.

ELEVENTH GRADE

The ones to enter this year were Chuck Reinks Beverly Barkley, and Ed Daniels

We lost Pat Canty and Pat Poling This was our first year to have a Romeo in our class, being no other than Ed Daniels. It was both amusing and very, very interesting. We gave our Junior Play "Cheaper by the Dozen." We had a double cast of characters and poor Miss Yeager felt as though she had a double head when it was all over. A few of the Senior girls and Miss Yeager went to Constantine to see their play, which was the same as ours, and decided ours was the best. Aside from Miss Yeager forgetting to bring along any money the trip was more or less uneventful. The Saturday night cast had a party at Ada's house. Between listening to "The Three Belis' and playing dirty hearts and eating with our guest of honor... Lindy Howe, we had a very nice time. This was a year of different opinions and deas. Although it was rather a high-tension year, we all had a good time and learned a lot. We won the King-and-Queen contest with Wayne Barr and Nina Armstrong. We gave a Prom for the Seniors at the Four-Lakes Country Club Remember the dark porch? Oh, wasn't that you? Ohhhh, dear!

TWELFTH GRADE

Our class enrollment at the beginning of this year was forty-eight but we lost Mary Heatt, who brightened many a dult classroom and now have our present forty-seven. Ours is the largest graduating class in the history of Edwardsburg. Going completely against "Tradition" we wanted green gowns for graduation. However, we were anable to get them so settled for blue. We did get green on our announcements though. Contrary to what happened in the past, we won the King and Queen contest again with Tony Kujawski and Genevicy. Persing. Our drive was assisted by one wrecked car and a minor scrap drive, much to the Sophomores and Freshmen's distike. Thank you, Juniors for your help! Our Senior Play this year was "Beyond Reason." We'll never forget the try-outs, the surprises, and play practice, will we Mrs. Andrews? We have done more work this year than ever before and once again had unity in our class. We wonder what the under-classmen will do when we are out of Mr. Lewis' assembly. You'll have to take the blame yourselves next year boys. We are looking forward eagerly to graduation our Senior Prom, and our Senior trip to New York City.

CLASS WILL

We, the class of '53, being of outstanding intelligence, brilliant mind, and exceptional about, do hereby lovingly bequeath to the faculty and subordinate masses, our most treasured possessions.

To the school board and P.T.A., we will our undying gratitude for their thoughtful control over our "hot rods."

To Mr Blanchard we will pews for his new office so that the atmosphere will be more (ahem) appropriate.

To Mr. Long, we will a nice big sympathy card for losing us; and all the hooks in the office for future keys.

To Mr. Mette, we will a reservation to a nice quiet rest home, we feel he probably needs it after listening to us voice our likes and dislikes all year.

Being a class bitterly opposed to the "We've done it in the past, so we'll do it in the future" lament, at this time find it necessary to use it after all. Unable to think of anything original, we, "as they have done in the past" will to Mrs. Ham a new piano. We hope the future brings you one.

To Mr. Campbell, we will courage unlimited for another grueling year of driver's training. We also will the underclass boys, knowing that he will make them into as fine a football team as we've had.

To Mr. Harcourt, we will a yardstick, in hopes that next year's basketball team will measure up to the team of '52-'53. It may also be used on the seventh grade boys for practical purposes!!!

To Miss Yeager, we will a huge bouquet for sponsoring the Annual, Girl's Basket-

ball the Library Club, and Debating We also will to you, the Juniors, hoping they will be as efficient an Annual staff as we've been. Isn't that right, Miss Yeager?

To Mr. Lewis, we will an electric track in study hall, so he can travel around it twice as fast, in his usual ATTEMPT to keep it quiet.

To Mr. Shanahan, we bequeath all the D's and E's we accumulated in geography class. May he never forget us.

To Mrs. MacDonald, we will our calorie and nutrition sheets; we sure don't want them.

To Mr. Galbreath, we will a nice bound-journal so that he can jot down his war experiences for our library. They will be treasured always. Who knows? Maybe we'll add a few of our own some day.

To Mrs. Andrews, we will a year's supply of cough drops, candy bars, and potato chips to eat in class. We also will a bushel of time clocks to throw at disagreeable students.

We shall now begin our individual wills.

- I. Lois Akin, will my quiet characteristics to Pat Radecki, Janet Kinzie, and Norma Gauvreau in hopes they will put them to good use.
- I, Nina Armstrong, will my ability to tap-dance to Beverly Overmyer in hopes that it will help her. I also will my absolute non-salt lipstick to Ruth Ellen Morse; hope it relieves you of your troubles.
- I, Beverly Barkley, will my ability to go steady with a senior boy to Nadine Runkle and JoAnn Beckwith. I also will my house to Joan Rienks, another girl who wishes she lived in town.
- I. Wayne Barr, will my Navy Reserve card to any under-classman who doesn't consider college an easy way out.
- I, Frank Bickel, will my ability to get along with the teachers and stay out of trouble in my senior year to "Bum-Bum", in case he needs it.
- I, Dean Bidwell, will my end position in football to Kenny Maxwell, and an old typewriter to Bill Mackling and Terry Stephens so they won't have to wreck the good ones that are left in the typing room.
- I, Mary Bigelow, will my quietness to anyone who would like to get an "E" in class discussions.
- I, Burt Blanchard, will my long-legs to Maynard Fetters, and my fast-walk to anyone having trouble making the last bell.
- I, Bob Boepple, will my ability to get along with Miss Yeager, to the Junior boys; and to Ernie Sanders, my position on the football team.
- I, Joyce Bonebright, will my ability to stay out of trouble with the teachers to my brother, Bruce, he should make good use of it.
 - I, Yvonne Bottom, will my ability to write long letters to Sandra Ward.
- I, Kent Claire, will my political opinions to any underclassman who likes to argue politics.
- I, Chuck Fox, will my football parks to Ray Hunsberger as I feel he'll be needing it; I also will my voice to anyone wishing to carry on any friendly discussions with Mr. Mette.
- I, Russell Garl, will my ability to keep quiet in class to anyone having trouble doing so.
- I. Ronnie Gordon, will my height and basketball ability to the basketball team of '54 in hopes that it will help them.
- I, Jim Griffen, will my nickname, "Five Dollar Dog", to Donald Bigelow. He seems to like it quite well.
- I, Marge Gunn, will my ability of getting to play basketball without going to practice, to the sophomore girls who seem to resent the fact.
- I, Jim Hanson, will my ability to brag to Ed Griffen, who doesn't need it, but will probably use it.
- I, Inez Harwood, will my quietness to Carol Kinzie, Dawn Miller, and Barbara Krecioch. I hope they will put it to good use.
 - I. Ada Hole, will my ability to debate, to anyone who can "grin-and-bear it";

I also will my self-control to the couples who can't resist cuddling all the time in the halls of EHS.

- I, Donald Jetter, will my key hook on the keyboard to anyone who wants it.

 I won't be needing it.
- I, Janice Johnson, will my high notes to Mrs. Ham's future Glee clubs, and my brother to Mr Long Hell probably see quite a lot of Monte in the next four years.
 - I, Chet Kmitta, will my hairy arms to David Jones.
- I, Leonard Kmitta, will my name "Hot-dog" to Jerry Toth, and my ability to mind my own business to the sophomore girls.
- I, Tony Kujawski, will my ability to keep quiet in Miss Yeager's Lit. class to Barbara Krecioch and Dawn Miller, to Mr. Long the extra set of keys I used to turn in.
- I, Ray Langguth, will all the slivers I collected while on the football bench, except one for a souvenir, to the janitor so he can keep the school warm next year
- I, Virginia Leach, will my cheerleading ability to Beverly Overmyer and Geraldine Shoemaker in hopes they will have better luck next year.
- I, Barbara Long will my concentration in business English class to anyone who enjoys a good library book.
- I, Richard Macking will to Donald Bigelow my strong arm to help him in brawls at Elkhart. I will my shrill whistle to David Jones.
- I Ray Minix wil, my high school sports career to anyone who would like to make their school days more interesting.
- I John Momar, will my quictness to Bruce Bonebright and Tom Warrell in hopes it will improve their relations with the members of the faculty.
- I, Gioria Morris, will all my history answers to Carol Hunter, so she won't have to turn around so much in class.
- I, Phyllis Morris, will my age to Larry Kulp, hoping he will put it to good use, and to Ruthie Ann Kline, my ability to write love letters.
- I, Genevieve Persing, will my freckles to anyone who wants them. I certainly don't.
 - I, Lyle Pontius, will my ability to argue to my cousin, Louis Huffman.
- I, Truman Potts, will my ability to stay out of the Tic-Toc, and the Niles Skating Rink to Ken Taylor, who seems to have a tough time doing so.
- I, Joan Riddarsporre, will my ability to get along with Mrs. Andrews to Bruce Bonebright.
- I, Dolores Reinoehl, will my naturally curly hair to Sally Bolton; I also will my ability to get along with the boys to Barbara Krecioch.
- I Chuck Rienks, will my manly physique to David Jones and my football ability to Harold (Mort) Lee.
- I, Dick Shanahan, will all my extra athletic letters to John Doe. John Doe isn't real, but I don't have extra letters either. I also suggest if you want to make the honor roll, don't take a course from Mr. Long.
- I, Gioria Shetterly, will my skirts to Kathleen Sanders in hopes that she will throw her jeans away.
- I, Jeanne Smith, will my ability to pluck my eyebrows and still have some left to Sandra Click.
- I, Patsy Spenner, will my naturally curly hair to Virginia Landis, and some of my old socks to Doris Fetters because she doesn't seem to wear any.
- I, Faye Standiford, will my comfortable chair in history class to Mort Lee, who has the same trouble I had, keeping awake under the influence of Mr Mette's soothing voice.
- I, Barbara Sturges, will my ability to do Mr. Mette's assignments to Dick Kitchen. Poor Dick, for some reason never finds time to do them.
- I. Dolores Valentine, will my eagerness in Mrs. Andrews' classes to anyone who has difficulty keeping awake.
- I, Merilyn Van Epps, will my Ford tractor to Ray Hunsberger so he won't have to walk home so much. Also, I will the driver of Lookwell truck 6 to Dawn Miller, since she is so interested.

We, the class of '53, will to the class of '54 all our clever sayings and witty re-

marks, old wrecked cars, and our ability to irritate the sophomores. These things will help them earn the title we shall soon vacate, "Those Seniors". We also will our best wishes for a terrific senior year.

We, the Senior girls, will to the Sophomore girls all of the Senior boys (with a few exceptions), may their dreams all come true. We also will our ability to get a fellow without first running him down.

We will to the Freshman, first and foremost - Bob Boepple. Secondly, our ability to get what we want.

To the Eighth graders, we will our stamina and courage, as we feel they will need it next year at "initiation" time.

To the Seventh grade, we will our ability to giggle and not sit still. Also, our unique methods of wriggling out of situations. We would like to add our genuine love of cinnamon balls and bubble gum.

To the subordinate mass in general, we will our clever ideas, witty sayings, sarcastic remarks and egotism. We also will all the tables and chairs with our names engraved upon them, may you remember us always.

The will has been signed, sealed, and acknowledged by the members of the class of '53.

(Signed) Wee R. Leaving (Signed) Wee R. Glad

CLASS PROPHECY

It is January 20, 1972. The group gathered in the home of Mrs. Jeanne Smith represents the small number of graduates of the class of 53 who still reside at the 'Burg', and who are not part of the huge crowd gathered at Washington for the inauguration of President cleet Kent E Claire and Vice President-cleet Clyde R. Minix The group includes other than Jeanne; the former Gloria Shetterly, Joan Riddarsporre, Dolores Valentine, and various little representatives of their happy homes Others are Truman Potts, Dick Shanahan, Tony Kujawski Lyle Pontius Ray Langguth, Russell Garl, Don Jetter and their wives. They have gathered to watch the inauguration of the former members of their class.

Jeanne snaps on her CV (colorvision) set and hears the deep resonant voice of announcer Charles Fox who is to cover the inauguration. They settle back in their chairs as Chuck begins:

This is Charles Fox bringing you a report of the inauguration of President-clect Kent E. Claire and Vice President-elect Clyde R. Minix. First however, I shall give a brief resume of the election last November. The President-elect had little difficulty winning the election, it was smooth sailing most of the way. For a short while the Democratic candidate, Robert Boepple scemed to be quite a serious threat, but that old phrase, "It's time for a change", failed to work in his case. If the Democrats are to win the next election, Ada Hole, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee and wife of Admiral Wayne Barr, will have to coin a new slogan. The one used in this past election had already been worn out by another party years before.

Due to the brilliant administration of former President Dwight D. Eisenhower and capable Republican followers the former Senator Claire was converted from a tried-and-true Democrat to a Grand-Old Republican. The same may be said for the Vice President-elect.

Now to continue with news of the inauguration. After breakfast at the classy new restaurant "The Buffet' owned by Patsy Spenner and Faye Standsford, Claire and Minix will begin their trek to the Capitol steps to take their oath of office. Because of the experience gained at 'The Cupboard a restaurant at Edwardsburg, Michigan, their home-town, the girls became fine connoiseurs of food and decided to open the restaurant.

It is rumored that the President-elect has already picked a few members of his future cabinet. Although not official, these are a few of the members believed to be chosen Secretary of State James G Hanson, noted for the diplomacy with which he handles problems concerning foreign affairs (?; and Ronald Gordon an old high

school friend as Secretary of the Treasury, Franklin J Bickel, President of Colonel Motors will most likely be Secretary of Defense. However, it is feared by some that if he accepts the position, he will have to sell the enormous amount of stock he now owns in the company. Admiral Wayne Barr will probably be under-Secretary of the Navy. Burton L Blanchard will most likely be Postmaster General. Due to experience gained at old E.H.S. Blanchard has proven himself quite capable. Virginia Leach, faithful party worker and Representative from Michigan, is favored to be Treasurer. As a result of the efficient management of the various funds at E.H.S. in former years, there is no doubt in Claire's mind as to her capability. Yvonne Bottom and Burbara Long will probably be Food and Drug Administrators. As a result of a high school course in Home Economics which also involved nutrition, the girls, genuinely encouraged by a cake which turned out better than anyone elses (although that's not saying much), became deeply interested in the correct and sanitary preparation of food.

As we sit here on the rostrum erected on the steps of the Capitol, I am surprised to see so many members of the crass of 53 among the crowds lining the streets Lois Akin, Merilyn Van Epps, Gloria and Phyllis Morris, Inez Harwood, Genevieve Persing, Joyce Bonebright and Dolores Reinoehl are but a few. These girls, bored with domesticity, decided to come to Washington and secure office jobs during the election. They wanted a little change of pace.

The President-elect and Vice President-elect have arrived at the Capitol and are now on the rostrum preparing to take their oaths. Mrs. Claire and Mrs. Minix are seated close by. Mrs. Minix is the former model, Mary Bigelow.

The crowd is now silent as opera star, Janice Johnson, comes to the head of the rostrum to sing the national anthem. Miss Johnson's voice is beautiful. It's a shame, however, that we are unable to see her. She is so small the top of her head is the only thing visible. Strange, how this inauguration reminds us of one in the past.

Dean Bidwell, owner of a large hat firm, has made millions from the sale of Inauguration Day hats. The Prestient elect, going completely against tradition, had ordered green Derbies for the occasion. It seems he had been very disappointed because he, along with others couldn't we're that particular color at some high school activity his senior year at E.H.S., his Alma Mater. In this way he is getting even.

As we glance into the crowd standing below the rostrum, we are amazed at the great number of celebrities, many of them graduates of Edwardsburg High School I can see from here Nina Armstrong, popular musical comedy star who will appear at the Inaugural Ball tonight, Chuck Rienks former football hero, John Moinar, are movie cameraman; Leonard Kmitta, matinee idol; and Beverly Barkley, wife of Franklin Bickel and popular lady wrestler. "Break their Bones Bev" it seems needed to become a wrestler when after a high school basketball tournament she emerged the winner of a fight with some poor soul who had the addactiv to swing at her.

I also see the popular artist, Richard Mackling, who's beautiful painting of President-elect Claire appeared on the cover of America's leading magazine. The Monday Morning Prop. Also an article by the well known columnist. Barbara Sturges appeared in the same magazine. Miss Sturges, encouraged by the popularity of a gossip column she wrote in high school days dedicated her life to printing the latest "dirt" about the politicians.

The Chief Justice has just finished administering the oath of office and the orchestra below us breaks into the strains of "Hail to the Chief". The orchestra is conducted by the brilliant young conductor Chester (Auturo) Kmitta. The benediction will now be delivered by the "Five Dollar Dog". Oops, I mean the Reverend James Griffen of the First Presbyterian Church of Edwardsburg. It was a personal request of the President that Reverend Griffen, an old friend deliver it. The President and Vice President are now preparing to leave for the White House where they will rest until time for the Ball.

Incidentally, the Inaugural Ball will be colorvised tonight at 10:00 P. M. Both the 'First lady" and Mrs Min.x will be wearing dresses designed by that fashion genius, Margery Gunn who is wife of James G Hanson Mrs Claire's will be Rem-

brandt red taffeta and Mrs. Minix's will be Picasso pink satin. Both are truly masterpieces.

This is Charles Fox leaving the air for station CNS-CV which has just brought you a complete coverage of the inauguration of President Kent E. Claire. Tune in tonight at 10:00 P. M. for a complete coverage of the Inaugural Ball.

The small group gathered in Jeanne's living room were silent, each deep in his own thoughts. It is safe to say each was probably thinking of the same thing namely, the fact that so many members of their class of '53 had, in one way or another, been apart of the inauguration of a great President!



LOIS AKIN..."What sweet delight a quiet life affords."

BOB BOEPPLE . ,"I came; I saw; I bluffed."

MARY BIGELOW ... "Silence oft of pure innocence persuades when speaking fails."

JOYCE BONEBRIGHT.."Why then you're in love."

DEAN BIDWELL.... There is always hope in a man who actually and earnestly works."

BURT BLANCHARD, Salutatorian.."I like work; it fascinates me. I can sit and look at it for hours."

YVONNE BOTTOM...."Her pencil was striking, resistless and grand. Her manners were gentle, complying and bland."

KENT CLAIRE "Give me leisure or give me death!"





CHUCK FOX "There is no index of character so sure as the voice."

RUSSELL GARL "They always think, who never talk."

RONNIE GORDON...."We can do anything we want to do if we stick to it long enough."

JIM GRIFFIN...." "Tis good will that makes intelligence!"

INEZ HARWOOD "Content thyself to be absurdly good."

DON JETTER...."He who has a firm will, molds the world to himself."

JANICE JOHNSON, Valedictorian...."Intellect—the starlight of the brain."

CHESTER KMITTA.... "Oh, give us the man who sings at his work."







TONY KUJAWSKI.... "This world belongs to the energetic."



RAY LANGGUTH.... "Progress is the activity of today and the assurance of tomorrow."

VIRGINIA LEACH.... "Kindness is wisdom; there is none in life but needs it, and may learn."

RICHARD MACKLING "A good laugh is sunshine in a house."

RAY MINIX.... "Fortunate is the man who can express himself with charm."

JOHN MOLNAR...."If you wish success in life, make perseverance your bosom friend, experience your wise counsellor, and hope your guardian genius."

GLORIA MORRIS.... "Peace is the evening star of the soul, as virtue is its sun; and the two are never far apart."





PHYLLIS MORRIS.... "She that can have patience, can have what she will."

LYLE PONTIUS "Thinking is the talking of the soul itself."

GENEVIEVE PERSING . "Speech is great; but silence is greater."

TRUMAN POTTS...."Victory belongs to the most persevering."

DOLORES REINOEHL..."Being a woman is a terrible difficult task, since it consists principally in dealing with men."

CHUCK REINKS..."A smile is the whisper of a laugh."

DICK SHANAHAN.... "Genuine and innocent wit is surely the flavor of the mind."

GLORIA SHETTERLY.... "Constancy is the compliment of all other human virtues."





PATSY SPENNER.... "Reason clears and plants the wilderness of the imagination to harvest the wheat of art."

FAYE STANDIFORD "Of plain, sound sense, life's current coin is made."

DOLORES VALENTINE "Simplicity of character is the natural result of profound thought."

MERILYN VAN EPPS "One of the sublimist things in the world is plain truth."

NINA ARMSTRONG "Her sunny locks hang on her temples like a golden fleece."

ADA HOLE "Our greatest glory is not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall."

BARBARA LONG.... "Reserve is the truest expression of respect toward those who are its objects."

BARBARA STURGES.... "Good humor is one of the best articles of dress one can wear in society."





JOAN RIDDARSPORRE... "Blue eyes with a wondrous bewitching charm, eyes that are fountains of thought and song."

BEVERLY BARKLEY.."A beautiful smile is to the countenance what a sunbeam is to the landscape."

JIM HANSON "The first impulse of conscience is apt to be right."

FRANK BICKEL...."The eye speaks with an eloquence and truthfulness surpassing speech."

MARGE GUNN...."Grace is to the body, what good sense is to the mind."

JEANNE SMITH...."I'll take his hand and go with him to the deep wells of life."

WAYNE BARR..."A deep, genuine, heartfelt sincerity is a trait of true and noble manhood."





SENIOR ACTIVITIES

LOIS AKIN

Girl's Basketball 1, 2, 3 F.H.A. 2, 3 Library Club 2, 3

NINA ARMSTRONG

F.H.A. 1, 2, 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 2, 3
Minstrel Show 1
Library Club 2
Class Secretary 1
Class Treasurer 3
Junior Play 3
Senior Play 4
Girl's Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4

BEVERLY BARKLEY

Tupper Lake, New York Orchestra Glee Club Jr. Varsity Cheerleader Washington Clay 2 Co-Eds G.A.A. Edwardsburg 3, 4 Girl's Basketball Speech Debate 3, 4, Junior Play Senior Play Library Club Treasurer Annual Staff

WAYNE BARK

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 3
Minstrel Show 4
Football 2, 3, 4
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4
Vice President 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Junior Play 3
Class Vice President 2, 4

IRANK BICKEL

Football 1, 2, 3
Basketball 1, 2
Glee Club 1, 2
Varsity Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3

DEAN BIDWELL

Football 1, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Track 3
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 2
Minstrel Show 1
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4
Student Council 3
Junior Play 3
Senior Play 4
Class President 4

MARY LOU BIGELOW

Girl's Basketball 1, 2 Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Hot Lunch Program 2 F H A. 1, 2 Library Club 1, 2 Junior Play 3 Annual Staff 4

BURTON BLANCHARD

Salutatorian
Class President 3
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Junior Play 3
Senior Play 4
Varsity Club 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 2, 3
Minstrel Show 1
Salutatorian 4

ROBERT BOEPPLE

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Co-captain 4
Baseball 3, 4
Track 2, 3, 4
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4
Secretary-treasurer 3,
Student Council 3, 4
Vice President 3
President 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 3
Junior Play 3
Senior Play 4
Debating Team 3, 4
F F.A. 1
Annual Staff 4

JOYCE BONEBRIGHT

Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Secretary 4
F.H.A. 1, 2
Junior Play 3
Glee Club 1, 2, 3
Operetta 2
Annual Staff 4

YVONNE BOTTOM

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 2
Minstrel Show 1
Junior Play 3
Hot Lunch Program 3
Annual Staff 4

KENT CLAIRE

Football 1, 3, 4 Varsity Club 3, 4 Student Council 4 Track 3, 4 Glee Club 1, 2, 4

CHARLES FOX

Glee Club 1
Football 3, 4
Baseball 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 4
Annual Staff 4
Varsity Club 4
Junior Play 3
Announcer
F F A, 1

RUSSELL GARL

FFA. 1 Glee Club 1 Annual Staff 4

RONNIE GORDON

Easketball 1, 2, 8, 4
Baseball 3, 4
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4
Junior Play 3
Annual Staff 4
Glee Club 1, 2
F.F A, 1

JIM GRIFFEN

F F.A. 1
Football 2, 3, 4
Varsity Club 3, 4
Baseball 2
Junior Play 3
Senior Play 4
Annual Staff 4

MARGE GUNN

Girl's Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
F.H.A. 1, 2, 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Minstrel Show 1
Operetta 2
Junior Play 3
Senior Play 4
Cheerleader 1, 2
Annual Staff 4

JIM HANSON

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3 4
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4
Student Council 1
Glee Club 1, 2

INEZ HARWOOD

Girl's Basketball 1
Glee Club 1, 2, 3
Operetta 3
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4
Treasurer 4
Library Club 1, 2, 3
Annual Staff 4
Office Work 4

ADA HOLE

Girl's Basketball 1, 2, 3
Library Club 1, 2
Speech 1, 2, 3, 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 2, 3
Minstrel Show 1
Junior Play 3
Debate Team 3, 4
Student Council 3
Class President 2
Annual Staff 4
Bus Patrol 1, 2
F.H.A. 1, 2, 4

DONALD JETTER

Elkhart 1 Science Club Edwardsburg 2, 3, 4 Baseball 2, 3 Annual Staff 4

JANICE JOHNSON

Vuledictorian
FHA 1 2 4
Library Club 1, 2, 3
Vice President 3
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Minstrel Show 1, 4
Operetta 2, 3
Junior Play 3
Senior Play 4
Annual Staff 4
Student Council 4
Secretary 4
Girl's Basketball 1, 2, 3
Valedictorian 4

CHESTER KMITTA

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Captain 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Minstrel Show 1
Operetta 2
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4
Secretary 3
Junior Play 3
Class Vice President 1
F.F.A. 1

LEONARD KMITTA

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Co-captain 4
F.F.A. 1
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 2
Minstrel Show 1
Basketball 1, 3, 4
Baseball 4
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4
Junior Play 3

TONY KUJAWSKI

Football 3, 4
Track 2
F.F.A. 1
Junior Play 3

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

RAY LANGGUTH

Football 1, 2, 3, 4 Baseball Manager 1, 2 Varsity Club 2, 3, 4 Glee Club 1, 2 F.F.A. 1

VIRGINIA LEACH

Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4 Girl's Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 Junior Play 3 Senior Play 4 Student Council 1, 3, 4 Secretary 3 Treasurer 4 Library Club 1, 2, 3 Vice President 2 President 3 F.H.A. 1, 2 Treasurer 2 Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Operetta 2, 3 Minstrel Show 1 Annual Staff 4 Class Treasurer 2 Bus Patrol

BARBARA LONG

Class Treasurer 1, 4 F.H.A. 1, 2, 3 Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Operetta 2 Minstrel Show 1 Annual Staff 4 Junior Play 3

RICHARD MACKLING

Football 1, 2, 3
Baseball 1, 2, 3
Junior Play 3
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 2
Minstrel Show 1
Basketball manager 1
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4

RAY MINIX

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Minstrel Show 2
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4
President 4
Junior Play 3
Senior Play 4
Annual Staff 4

JOHN MOLNAR

F F.A. 1 Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Operetta 2 Football 1, 2, 3, 4 Varsity Club 2, 3, 4

GLORIA MORRIS

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 3
Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Girl's Basketball 3
Annual Staff 4
Hot Lunch Program 3
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4

PHYLLIS MORBIS

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 3
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4
Vice President 4
Annual Staff 4
Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Hot Lunch Program 3

GENEVIEVE PERSING

Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4 F H.A. 1, 2 Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Operetta 2, 3 Annual Staff 4

LYLE PONTIUS

Glee Club 1
Football 2
Baseball 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 4
Varsity Club 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Bus Patrol 1
F.F.A. 1

TRUMAN POTTS

Feotball 1, 2
Track 1
FFA. 1
Student Council 1
Baseball 2, 3, 4
Varsity Club 2, 3, 4
Junior Play 3
Annual Staff 4
Glee Club 1, 3, 4

DOLORES RELNOEHL

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4
Treasurer 3
Historian 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3
Minstrel Show 1
Bus Patrol 3
Hot Lunch Program 3
Annual Staff 4

JOAN RIDDARSPORRE

Girl's Basketball 2, 3, 4
Junior Play 3
Senior Play 4
F,H A. 1
Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3
Office Work 4

CHARLES RIENKS

South Bend Riley 1 Football W restling Track Play South Bend Central 2, 3 Football 2, 3 Swimming 2 Track 2 Play 2 Wrestling 3 Edwardsburg 3, 4 Track 3 Football 4 Senior Play 4 Annual Staff 4

DICK SHANAHAN

Football 4
Junior Play 3
Student Council 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 2, 3
Football Manager 1
Annual Staff 4

GLORIA SHETTERLY

Girl's Basketball 1, 2, 4 Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Junior Play 3 Annual Staff 4

JEANNIE (Fetters) SMITH

Girl's Basketball Manager Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4 Operetta 2 Junior Play 3 Annual Staff 4 Library Club 1 F.H.A. 1 Class Secretary 3

PATSY SPENNER

Glee Club 1, 2
Minstrel Show 1
Operetta 2
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3
Secretary 3
Girl's Basketball 1, 2, 4
Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Junior Play 3

FAYE STANDIFORD

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3
Historian 3
Labrary 1, 2
Glee Club 1, 2
Minstrel Show 1
Operetta 2
Girl's Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4

BARBARA STURGES

Girl's Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Class Secretary 2, 4
Library Club 2
Treasurer 2
Junior Play 3
Bus Patrol 1
Annual Staff 4
F.H.A. 1, 2, 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 2, 3
Minstrel Show 1

DOLORES VALENTINE

Annual Staff 4
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 2, 3
F H.A. 1, 2, 3
Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Office Work 4
Hot Lunch Program 4

MERILYN VAN EPPS

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Operetta 3
F.H.A. 2
Library Club 3, 4
Bus Patrol 2, 3, 4
Office Work 4
Junior Play 3

SNAPS



SPORTS DIVISION



CHEER LEADERS





SPORT SCHEDULES FOR 1953-54

As we know all of our readers are Edwardsburg High School fans, we are listing for your convience the schedules for football and basketball for next year as they now stand.

FOOTBALL -- "53"

September 18 September 25 October 2	White Pigeon Marcellus	There Here
October 9 October 16 October 23	Washington Clay Galien South Bend Catholic	Here There 3 30 Here
October 30 November 6 November 13	New Buffalo Constantine Cassopolis	Here Here There

Edwardsburg was very proud of our new field last year with the lights, and our large attendance at the night games made the effort of all the organizations that contributed well worth while Bill Campbell, assisted by Mr Harcourt did a very good job of coaching

BASKETBALL - "53 - 54"

November 24	Baroda	Here
December 4	New Troy	Here
December 11	Three Oaks	There
December 15	Galien	Here
December 18	Stevensville	There
January 12	New Buffalo	Here
January 15	Eau Claire	There
January 19	Bridgman	Here
January 22	Baroda	There
January 26	New Troy	There
January 29	Three Oaks	Here
February 5	Stevensville	Here
February 6	Galien	There
February 16	New Buffalo	There
February 19	Eau Claire	Here
February 26	Bridgman	There
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This year, due to the fine coaching of Mr Harcourt, we certainly had a successful season, and our tournament games were a credit to the school. We hope we have equally as good a season in 1953-'54 as we had in '52-'53

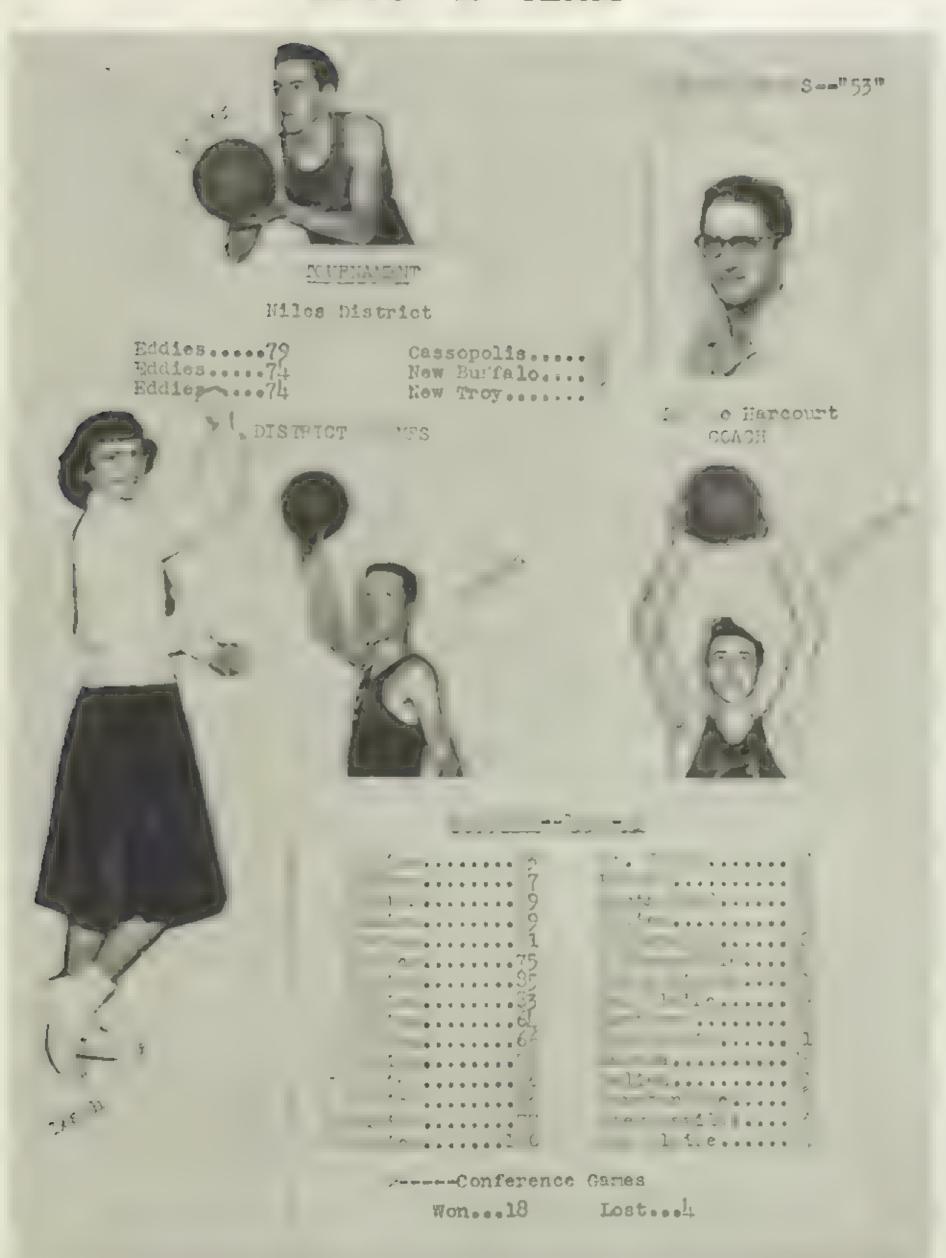
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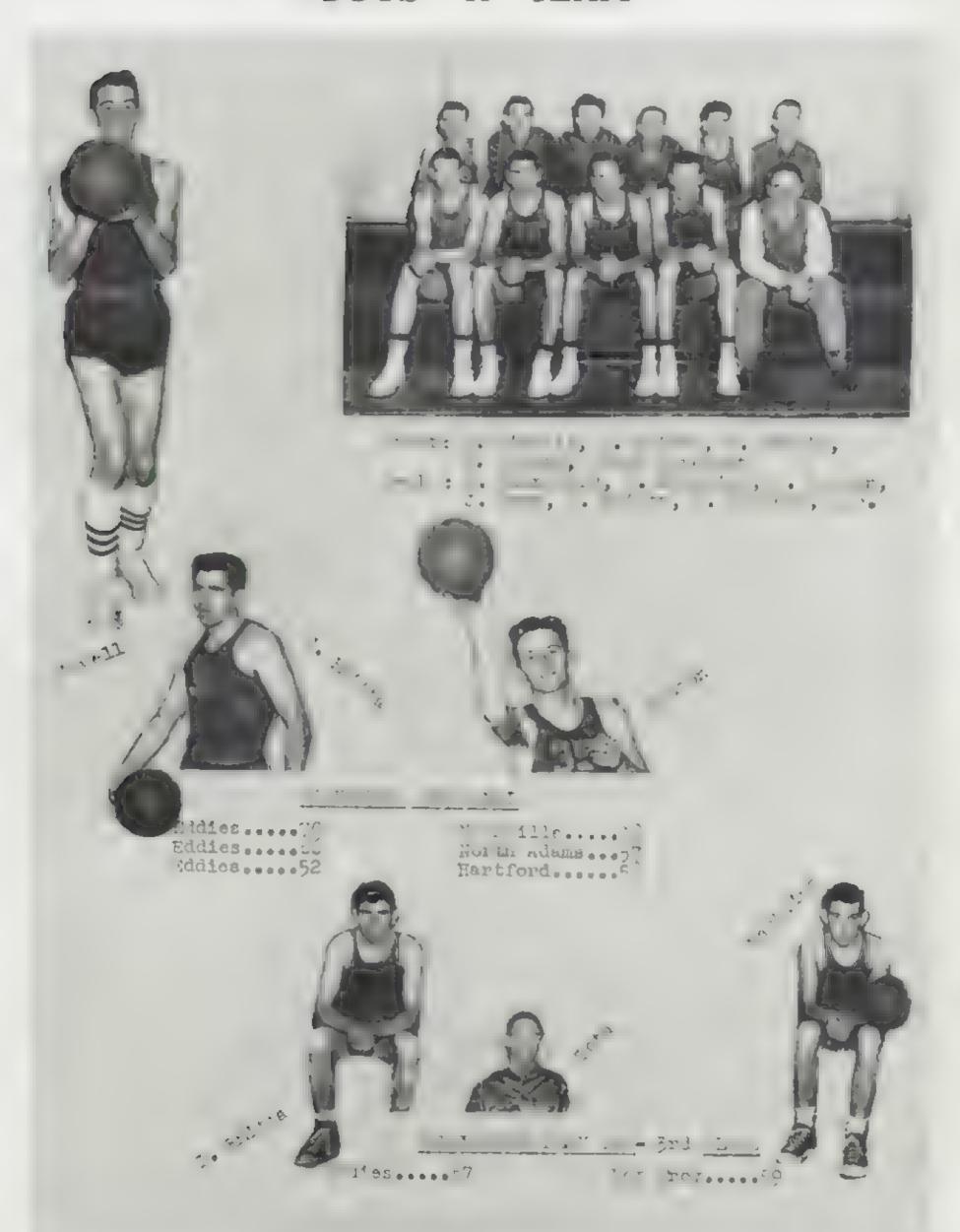
FOOTBALL - 1952



BOYS' "A" TEAM



BOYS' "A" TEAM



BOYS' "B" TEAM - BASKETBALL



First row Dean Mohney, Vec Radebaugh Tom Warrell Dick Ellis Richie Myers Larry Clup, Coach Campbell

Second row: John Barker, Terry Stephens, Mike Stephens, Dennis Otto, Dick Kitchen, Don Bigelow

Edwardsburg	60	St. Johns	24
Edwardsburg		Baroda	69
Edwardsburg		South Bend	48
Edwardsburg		Galien	37
Edwardsburg		Cassopolis	35
Edwardsburg		Stevensville	18
Edwardsburg		White Pigeon	30
Edwardsburg		Eau Claire	8
Edwardsburg		Hartford	32
Edwardsburg		Cassopolis	26
Edwardsburg		Baroda	
Edwardsburg		Galien	
Edwardsburg		Constantine	38
Edwardsburg		Stevensville	51
Edwardsburg		Eau Claire	23
	CONFERENCE	PLAYOFF	
Edwardsburg	40	New Troy	30
	Record - Won	12. Lost 4	

TRACK

"STATE RUNNER UP"

TRACK SCHEDULE - 1952

Placed	Schools	
2nd, April 10 7th, April 19	Berrien Springs Ann Arbor	Twin Five Conference (practice)
2nd, April 22	Berrien Springs	River Rouge Relays Berrien, New Troy, Edwardsburg
5th, May 3	Albion	Track and Field Meet
1st, May 17	Berrien Springs Kalamazoo	Regional Track and Field Meet
2nd, May 24	East Lansing	State Final

The above '52 schedule speaks for itself with the title "State Runner Up". For a small school we seem to be fortunate enough to have boys that are good in all types of athletics. Track appeals to certain boys that don't care for football, baseball, or baskethall. A boy that is too light for football or not large enough for baskethall can find a place in track events. Bill Campbell is the coach of the track team and in the several years that we have participated in this sport, we have done very well.

TRACK SCHEDULE for 1953

Date	Schools	
April 15 April 29	Berrien Springs New Buffalo	Warm Up Baroda, Galien, Edwardsburg
May 6	Galien	Baroda, Stevensville, Edwardsburg
May 9	Albion	Track and Field Meet
May 12	Berrien Springs	Conference Meet
May 16	Kalamazoo	Regionals

As our annual goes to press too early for us to record the results of the '53 track events, we are hoping for a successful season for the track team.

BILL CAMPBELL, Coach

BASEBALL 1952-53



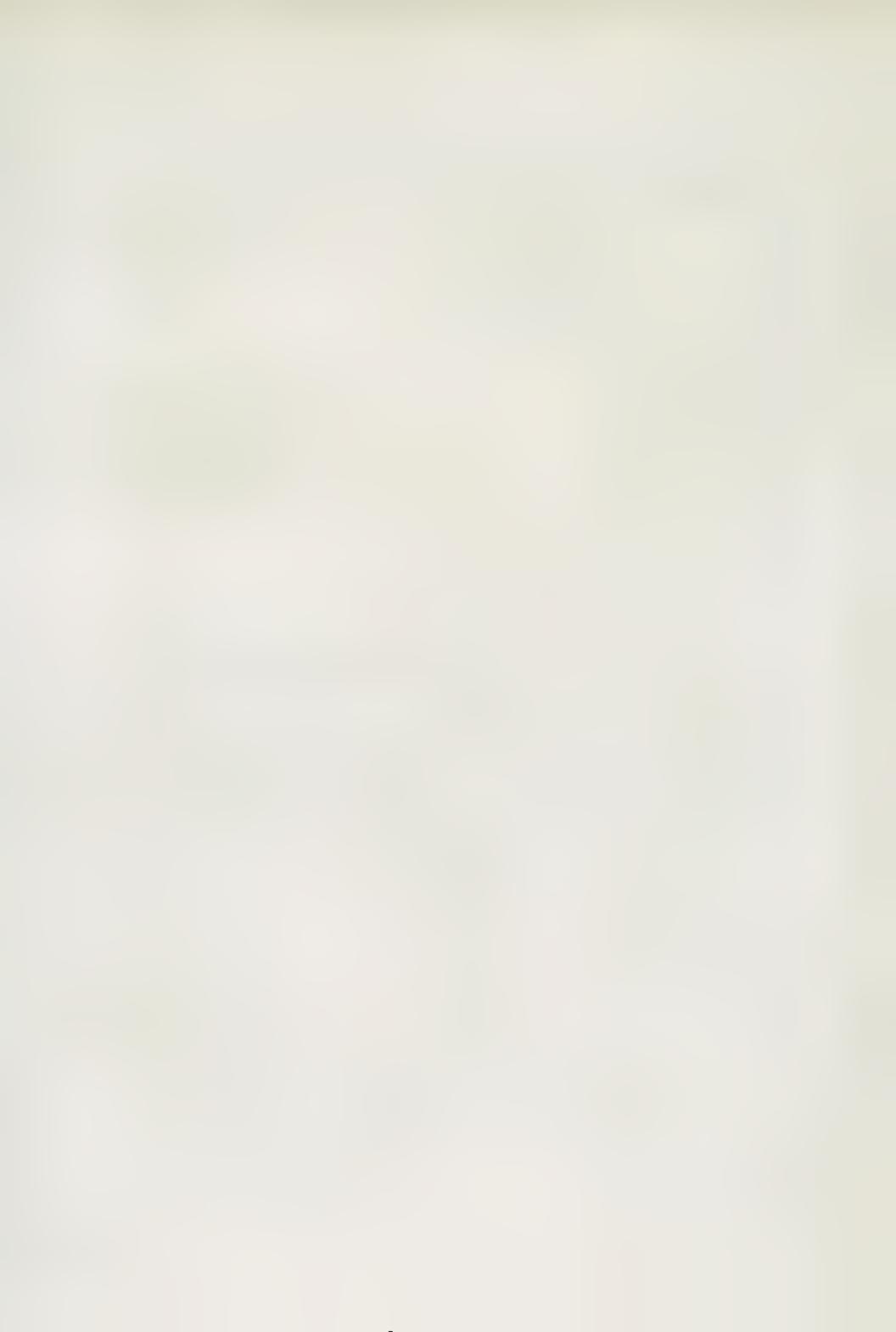
COACH - BOB METTE

This is the large group of boys that went out for baseball this spring. The regular team will be found in the calendar

Let's support our school baseball team by all coming out to the games. Who knows some future big league stars may come from Edwardsburg. There is probably more of a career in the professional line in baseball than any other sport. Our team is coached byRobert Mette and with the good material coming on we are sure that he will turn out some good teams. We can use a cheering section at baseball games as well as any other sport.

Schedule of Games for 1953

Date	School	Place
April 17	Stevensville	Here
April 20	Bridgman	Here
April 23	Baroda	There
April 27	Eau Claire	Here
April 30	Three Oaks	There
May 4	Bye	
May 7	Galien	Here
May 11	New Troy	There
May 14	New Buffalo	Here



GIRLS' BASKETBALL



GIRLS' BASKETBALL



GIRLS' BASKETBALL 10-11-12



Front row: Joan Riddarsporre, Patsy Spenner, Beverly Barkley, Virginia Leach, Margie Gunn, Joan Rienks, Nina Armstrong, Barbara Sturgis

Second row: Beverly Overmyer, Audrey Glaum, Faye Standiford, Ann Padbury,

Gerry Miller, Nadine Runkle, Joann Beckwith

Back row: Gerry Shoemaker, Jackie Krecioch, Jeannie Smith (Manager), Gloria

Shetterly, Miss Yeager, Coach

We are sorry to lose so many seniors this year and will surely miss them. However, we have several juniors and a large group of sophomores that show promise for next year. Due to the hard work and excellent team work of the girls, we were able to win all our games this year



GIRLS' BASKETBALL - NINTH GRADE

First row Norma Bigelow Judy Kchoe Gayla Pontius Joyce Minix, Janet Kinzie, Norma Gauvreau, Jean Robinson

Second row Doris Standiford Mary Lou Funk, Nancy Leiser, Sandy Click, Judy

Gibbons, Elizabeth Westfall.

Although the 9th grade girls don't get to play on the regular team, they were very interested in basketball and almost every Friday night after school they worked very hard practicing. They were very co-operative and will be a big help to the team next year.

ACTIVITIES



SENIOR PLAY



CAST - "BEYOND REASON"

Dr. Wilfred Steele	James Griffen
Sonia Petroff	Nina Armstrong
Jean Heather	Beverly Barkley
Skip Tolliver	Bob Boepple
Rose Colfax	Janice Johnson
Clyde Loring	Ray Minix
Eve Patterson	Marge Gunn
Ted Blaine	Dean Bidwell
Delilah	Virginia Leach
Dusty	
Sarah Colfax	
Wolfe	The state of the s

Ticket Committee Dolores Valentine Joan Riddarsporre Inez Harwood, Marilyn Van Epps, and Genevieve Persing.

Stage Managers Richard Mackling, Ronnie Gordon, John Molnar, and Truman Potts Announcer, Chester Kmitta.

Director, Mrs. Andrews.

Ushers, Patsy Spenner, Joyce Bonebright, Faye Standiford Inez Harwood, Marilyn Van Epps, Yvonne Bottom, and Barbara Long

JUNIOR PLAY



In Twening in the fall

Act II
The next evening

Act III_

A few minutes later



CAST -J' TORS



CALENDAR

- September 2 Whoopee!!!! School started.
 - 3 Wonder when our first vacation is?
 - 19 First football game of season. Tied New Buffalo 6-6. Our first game and we showed it, -led all the way until last minute when Buffalo scored. (Chet)
 - 23 Senior pictures taken. Gee, hope it doesn't look like me. My, isn't everyone dressed up though.
 - 26 We beat Galien! Hurray for Eddies! (Good game for the reserves who played three-quarters of game-Chet).
 - 30 Annual Staff announced.

October

- 1 Seniors start magazine drive, girls against boys. Wonder who will win.
- 10 Colon, here we come. We beat 46-16, "This team was big, but they showed no speed, or passing ability - so we creamed them". (Chet)
- 17 Magazine drive ended, we sold more than any other class, \$2,193. Those boys would win'
- 1x Sophomore hay ride more fun.
- 23 The senior boys went on a sanitation campaign during sandwich sale by seniors. Ray washed the hotdogs (in lab too) the rest of the boys dried. The girls threw them in the garbage.
- 29 How does it feel to get a clock thrown at you, Bruce? That will teach you to disagree with teachers.
- 30 Lion's Club Halloween party! What cute costumes.

- November 4 Notice!! Please turn all car keys in to office!
 - * P.T A. Carnival. What a gorgeous picture that artist drew of you, Jan, I can hardly tell it's yau.
 - 14 We're out to beat Cass, Whoopee, we did 20-6. "This team had us scared for three quarters of the game, but during the 3rd quarter we opened holes in the line, and passed them to win 20-6" (Chet).
 - 21 Senior Play, My, but those seniors are good actors and actresses (Written by a senior).
 - 27-28 Thanksgiving vacation. What'll you have, turkey or more turkey?

- December 3 Senior pictures arrived, OOOOOOOh, do you look snazzy'
 - 5 E.rst basketball game. WE BEAT ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC' Shh. isn't nice to brag.
 - 16 Debate with Hopkins. Won both affirmative and negative. Nice going Bev., Ada, Bob, and Jerry.
 - 1x Juniors get their rings. Right pretty now, but not quite as pretty as
 - 20 Wonder what I'll get for Christmas?
 - 24 Yippee, Christmas vacation. No school for almost two weeks.
 - 25 Merry Christmas

January

- 1 Happy New Year! Hope you got more sleep than we did!
- 5 Sort of good to get back to the old grind.
- 6 Did you say school was out May 29th, Faye?
- 9 Hot lunch good today! Mexican hamburgers.
- 19 (Note Day before mauguration day) Ray Minax standing in lanch lan-"Feed up today, boys, there'll be a bread line tomorrow."
- 20. Lucky us, we got to watch the inauguration and parade on television, and at school too! (Television, courtesy of Louis Duck) Thank you.
- 23 We play Hartford, here. Well, the best of teams lose sometimes.
- 24 Snow Ball Dance Senior King and Queen Yay seniors Thanks. juniors, for your help.
- 30 We played Baroda, Another victory, naturally.

- February 13 Hope we beat Stevensville! Darn 'em anyway!
 - 15 We hear that the geometry class is getting pretty good on "figures", just what kind we don't know.
 - 27 We played New Troy in Twin Five Playoff. Great work boys. WE

WON. The juniors cleared over \$60.00. Oh, boy now we will be able to have the prom inside. (Just jokins)

March

3 The girls' basketball team beat Cass again - it was the last game of their season and they won every game. Congratulations, girls!

5 TOURNAMENT - We played Cass and won, too!

- 6 TOURNAMENT (Again, I can't believe it) Come on boys beat New Troy. THEY DID, bless 'em. Class C District Champs. Vicksburg here we come!
- 12 Regionals at Vicksburg. Hooray, we beat Nashville.

13 WE BEAT NORTH ADAMS.

14 Go Eddies, beat Hartford! Darn, great work anyhow, boys,

17 Chose announcements. How agreeable those seniors are!

- 19 Sophomore girls thought they were mechanics and turned all the burners around in the home ec. room on the stoves
- Jim Conrath got so enthusiastic at play practice he fell off the stageno harm done, just another dent in our gym floor.
- 27 18 Junior play. The juniors are pretty good actors, too. Another year and they'll be as bad - I mean as GOOD as the seniors

April

- 1 No more school this year! APRIL FOOL
- 4 How come the 10th grade girls didn't hear the fire drill bell in the home ec, room that day? You girls surely aren't concentrating that hard on learning to cook!
- 3 Good Friday. What's gonna happen, we got a day off!

5 In My Easter Bonnet.

6 No school again today. Mr. Long and Mr. Blanchard must not be feel-

ing well

7 NOTICE: Mr. Mette has picked his baseball team for 1953. It is: Dean Bidwell, L. Kmitta, L. Pontius, T. Potts, R. Minix, B. Boepple, R. Gordon, D. Klopfenstein, C. Keck, D. Bigelow, K. Clair, Ed Griffen, and D. Duck.

9 We hear that Deloris Reinoehl got a sudden yearning for a truck ride during the 6th period assembly.

- 10 Faye S., Patsy Spenner and Miss Yeager burn the midnight oil to try to finish the annual. Time: 11:30 -- Well, there's always another time.
- to When the director of the P.T.A. show came into Mr. Long's room to be introduced, we don't think he knew it but he had a lot of ink smudges on his face. But wait - on the other hand maybe he was trying to impress her for a part in the minstrel.

11 SENIOR CLASS MEETING - We really did want green gowns for commencement, Mr. Long.

13 What ungrateful person could have put that tack on a teacher's chair after she had just said that they had been such angels while she was out of the room??????

14 Wheeeeeee Jackie Krecioch and Ann Padbury won first place in the speech contest at St. Joseph. We also got 2 seconds and 2 thirds.

15 Mr. Mette's so nice. Showed us how to keep a bowling score during history class. (Wasted effort, we still aren't quite sure.)

Joan R. and Patsy went to Cass to the printers for Miss Yeager. Where's the Vigilant Office girls?????

24 Beverley Barkley, J. Toth, Sonny Sanders, Jackie Krecloch, Ann Padbury, and Sandy Click attend the annual debate day at Ann Arbor. Big place isn't it kids? Say, Sonny who was that cute girl across the table from you at the banquet?

Mary

15 Junior-Senior Prom at the Hotel Elkhart in the ATHENIAN ROOMreal swanky! Bobby Wear's orchestra from Elkhart. That sure is a tricky fountain for the punch, juniors.

24 Baccaleaureate

- 28 Commencement. Couldn't even hear the speaker. Jan Johnson and Burt's knees made such noise knocking. Glad I wasn't valedictorian and salutatorian (Oh. Yeah.)
- 29 School's out and we are really proud of our annuals.

June

1 Seniors embark on their trip to Washington D C, and New York City. Three more days and we are officially alumni of Edwardsburg High School.

STUDENT COUNCIL



Left to right, scated JoAnn Beckwith, Januer Johnson Dick Kitchen Virginia Lea h

Standing Shirley Fetters, Kent Claire Sandra Ch k Judy Kehoe, Brace Bone bright, Jerry Miller, Dick Shanahan.

Officers President, Robert Boepple, Vice President Richard Kitchen, Seretary, Janice Johnson; Treasurer, Virginia Leach.

Sponsor: Robert Mette.

STUDENT COUNCIL ACTIVITIES

October 27, 1952—Handbooks completed and given out November 4, 1952—Mcck Presidential Election November 14, 1952—Dance after Cass Game December 6, 1952—Sox Hop December 23, 1952—Christmas Program January 14, 1953—C.A.S.M.S.C. Meeting January 24, 1953—Snowball Dance

PROGRAMS PRESENTED

October 23, 1952—"Southland Singers"

December 8, 1952—Ken Smith "Quick Artist"

March 7, 1953—"The De Willois"

March 19, 1953—Assembly on "Sounds of the Air"

LIBRARY CLUB



Joyce Minix Norma Bigelow, Gayla Pontius, Ruth Ann Kiine Phyllis Christner, Virginia Landis, Nancy Lieser, Jean Ann Robinson Charlene Eggert Susic Kantz Beverly Overmyer, Nadine Runkle, Juanita Wishart Carol Kinzie, Carol Hunter, Shirley Fetters Beverly Barkley, Delores Vinntine Joyce Bonebright Joan Riddarsporre, Genevieve Persing, Faye Standiford, Patsy Spenner, Miss Yeager, Sponsor.

We have a large group of girls that are interested in library work this year, and are glad that so many of the freshmen and sophomore girls are helping out. Next year we plan to give quite a bit of training to the girls that are working in the library. Some of the senior girls will be greatly missed as they have been working in the library ever since they were freshmen. We have added a number of new fiction books this year and have a good assortment of magazines for the students to read

The girls have had several parties this year, a wiener roast in the fall at Mrs. McNabb's and several others. We are getting quite a lot of enjoyment out of our secret pals, and find this an opportunity to learn to do thoughtful things for other people.

F. H. A.



President, Rowene Shank, Vice President, Phyllis Morris, Secretary, Phoebe Harwood, Treasurer, Inez Harwood, Historian Judy Gibbons, Parlimentarian, Carol Hunter, Sponsor, Mrs. Macdonald.

In October we attended the Michigan State Penn State football game at East Lansing

We sent delegates to the Regional convention at Kalamazoo. It was decided there to sponsor a war orphan and each chapter in this region donates toward that

At Christmas time we bad a gift exchange and went caroling

March 10th and 11th was the state convention at Michigan State College and we sent two delegates.

We gave an Easter program for the old people at the County Infirmary this year

GLEE CLUBS











DEBATE AND SPEECH

Our debate topic for this year was RESOLVED: That the Atlantic Pact Nations should form a Federal Union. This year our debate team consisted of Ada Hole, Beverly Berkley on the Affirmative and Jerry Toth and F b Boppae on the Negative. We will be very sorry to see Ada Bev and Bob graduate this year as that leaves us with only one experienced debater. Jerry Toth is only a sophomore though and has two more years and there are a number of other people interested for next year.

Our first debate this year was with Berrien Springs at Edwardsburg. This time we won the affirmative and lost the negative and with our next debate here with Hopkins we were very happy to win both decisions. Next came our debate with Homer, the school that proved out Waterloo last year — well, Waterloo the Second. They really are good debaters though and go into the state finals each year. Our last debate was with Comstock and we won the affirmative here and lost the negative. The total was four and four. Of course we would like to win them all but that is one thing that debating teaches you that the profile with the best arguments and constructive points win. Of course we don't always argue with the judges but then neither do the others when they lose.) We have found that in debate you can't bluff, but you have to have the evidence and the proof for it.

The climax of the debating season is the annual Debate Day at Ann Arbor with the championship debates of the A and B divisions. The students that attended this war were Beverly Barkley Jerry Toth Senny Sanders, Jackie Kreetoch, Sandy Click, and Ann Padbury accompanied by Miss Yeager.

The students enjoyed their to ir of the campus and ilso hearing the state debate championship contests in the afternoon. The day was climaxed by a dinner sponsored by the Detroit Free Press at 6:00.

SPEECH ACTIVITIES

This year we did quits well in the District Speech Contest at St. Joe High School Edwardsburg. St. Joe, and Berrien Springs competed in this event. Our contestants were Ada Hole and Berriey Barkary in the dramatic division, Jackie Kreetoch and Sandra Click in the declamations and Ann Padbury and Charlene Eggert in the humberous division. Ann and Jackie placed first in their divisions and in the dramatic division as ond count to break the tie was made with Beverly getting five points against the other girls six. Our total score was two firsts two seconds, and two thirds.

Sandra Click Jackie Krecioch, and Rowena Shank entered the state TB speech contest and, a though they didn't win any place got a chance to give their speeches over the Benton Harbor Radio Station. Shirley Fitters and Jerry Toth tried the contest on the United Nations. It involved a lot of study and the test covered three hours. We haven't heard any results yet but Jerry and Shirley undoubtedly are the two best informed people in the community on the United Nations.

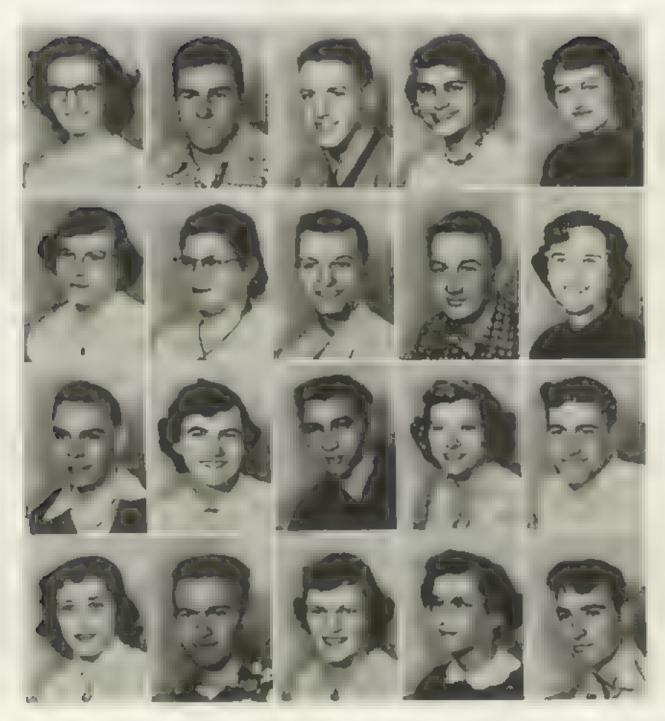
Our junior and senior girls were glad to help out when the chest X-rays were taken. The girls worked in shifts giving the announcements over the loudspeaker in the town hall and operating the record player. About 15 girls participated in this

We also enjoyed giving a panel discussion at the November PTA on the current debate topic. The girls also gave their T.B. speeches at this meeting.

UNDER-CLASSMEN



JUNIOR CLASS



Top row Norma Bowers Richard Davidhizer, Donald Duck Shirley Fetters Audrey Glaum, Phoebe Harwood, Carol Hunter, David Jones, Carl Keck, Carol Kinzle.

Second row: Jim Konrath, Barbara Krecioch, Harold Lee, Dawn Miller, Harry Miller.

Third row Gerry Miller, Jack Rienks, Joan Rienks, Rowena Shank, Kenneth Taylor,

Absent: Dick Kitchen, Terry Stephens, Al Windbigler, Bob Bailey.

OFFICERS

President Jack Rienks

Secretary Joan Rienks

Vice President Donald Duck

Treasurer Jim Konrath

Sponsor, Miss Yeager

ACTIVITIES

The juniors have kept quite busy this year and have worked hard to bring their treasury up to pay for the expenses of the Prom and to have a good amount left over to apply on their senior trip. We started out by selling sandwiches at noon twice a week before hot lunch started and then have sold all year at football and basketball games when it was our turn. We had a very successful's rap drive in November and another in April. Several bake sales throughout the year also helped out. As another project, we seld hosiery from the Hi Stocking Club and under the management of Shirley Fetters were quite successful.

It hasn't been all work as we had a party at the school in November and one at Miss Yeager's house in December Our junior play "If Mother Only Knew" can be classed as both work and play. The juniors all co-operated very well and enjoyed presenting their first play.

Of course the highlight of the year was the Junior-Senior Prom at the Elkhart Hotel. It was held in the Athenian room and the music was furnished by Bobby Wear's orchestra of Elkhart. A group of the juniors picked the place out for the prom one night after play practice and were quite thrilled with the ballroom with its long carpeted hall. Of course it looked even better when filled with our guests in their lovely formals escorted by - (can those be the boys we see at school every day?)

SOPHOMORES



CLASS ROLL

Top to bottom: Andresen, Beckwith Krecioch, Bigelow Bonebright Barker Eggert, Griffen Hoffman Kantz Klopfenstein Wishart Ponthis Mains Mattox, Mortimer, Morse, Wolfe Lansford Overmyer Padbury, Proctor, Runkie, Sanders, Sharp, Shoemaker, Toth Worrell, Windbigler, Stover.

CLASS OFFICERS

President	Harry	Proctor
Secretary	Larry	Mattox
Vice President	_ Ed	Griffen
Treasurer	Neal L	unsford

Sponsors: Mrs. Macdonald and Mr. Galbreath

CALENDAR

October 8	Freshmen Initiation
December	13 Class Party
February	Bake Sale
April 11	True to Chicago

The King and Queen for the sophomores for the Sno-Ball were Nadine Runkle and Bruce Bonebright.

NINTH GRADE





NINTH GRADE

CLASS ROLL-FIRST GROUP

First row, left to right: Sandy Ward, Jimmy Freeman, Marlene Higley, Mrs Andrews, Ted Jones, Doris Fetters, Judy Kehoe, Mary Benge.

Second row Doris Standiford Pit Fodrocy, Juanita Bankston, David Fisher John Cox, Larry Barr Dick Ellis Dick Aken Mary Condon Silly Bolton, Ray Hunsberger, Dolores Van Scoik, Hazel Helmlinger.

SECOND GROUP

First row left to right Jean Rebinson Jedy Gibbons, Richie Myers, Norma Bigelow, Elizabeth Westfall, Phyllis Christner, Norma Gauvreau, Ruth Ann Kline, Doris Meckling, Virginia Landis.

Second row Joyce Minix Patsie Radeckie Sandy Click, Gary Sweitzer, Dennis Otto Vee Radebaugh, Mike Stevens Lonnie Schmidtendorff Larry Culp, Nancy Lieser, Janet Kinzie, Gayla Pontius, Dean Mohney.

CLASS OFFICERS

President _	Richard Ellis
Vice President	Larry Kulp
Secretary	Judith Gibbons
Treasurer	_ Patricia Fodrocy
Student Council Representatives, Sandr	

CLASS ACTIVITIES

October 18			Hayride
February 14			Bake Sale
February 28	Return I	Party	for Sophomores
March			Bake Sale



JUNIOR HIGH DIVISION



EIGHTH GRADE

MR. LEWIS, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Mr. Lewis, teacher, Pat Egmer, Carol Christophel, Shirley Miller, Nancy Warrell, Charles Winter, Bob Randall, Larry Thompson, Allan Padbury, Mary Lou Barker, Charles Hoien, Donald Swanson, George Konrath, Abbie Abshire, Grace Klip.

Front row: Gary Briesacker, Betty Kulp, Jim Ryder, Pat Freeman, Phil Drew, Paul Maehler, Harold Lowe, James Whitcomb, Rosa Lee Carpenter, Rosalie Sanders, Monte Johnson.

Absent: Sally Proper.

EIGHTH GRADE

MR. SHANAHAN, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Richard Westfall, Stanley Suski, Terry Jones, Romona Lewis, Max Thompson, Carl Burger, Charles Wishart, Kathy Sanders, John Kujawski.

Middle row: Leah Powers, Mary Ann Mossman, Loretta Checkley, Sandra Slocum, Barbara Bowman, Judy Wilkinson, Martha Nichols, Nancy James, Mr. Shanahan,

Bottom row: Tom Emenaker, Phyllis Hoover, John Dryer, Ronny Kmitta, Barbara Randall, Sam Robinson, Bill Bailey.

SEVENTH GRADE

MR. MACDONALD, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Elizabeth Horvath, Herman Townsend, Carol Koporc, Leslie Proffitt, Carl Shiedler, Rex Carpenter, Rose Chew, Mary Fox, Jeralyn Keck, Durelle Butrick.

Middle row: Charles Chew, Larry Bidwell, Bill McNabb, Joan Wesolowski, Herbert Clausen, Charles O'Connor, Sharon Eaton, Teddy Ann Kulwicki, Larry Banghart, Mr. Macdonald, teacher.

Front row: Faith Tompos, George Morningstar, Danny George, Carol Riddarsporre, Barbara Bonebright, Betty Suski, Larry Haven, Bob Spenner, Annie Williamson.

SEVENTH GRADE

MR. HARCOURT, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Kathleen Stephens, Mary Ann Pantilla, Marion Gibbs, Jack Kujawa, Edwin Hudson, Milton Egmer, Ray Radebaugh, Marne Brown,

Middle row: Mr. Harcourt, teacher, Norman Land,s, George Bolock, Spurge Bankston, Sylvia Whitcomb, Frances Wendl, Larry Swaim, Clarence Rienks, Robert Thorpe, Diana Myers,

Front row: Janet Leedy, Deanna Konrath, Marilyn Otto, Mary Molnar, Judy Ziolkowski, Nancy Sodenian, Marjorie Carpenter.

Absent: Jerome Farmer, Donald Copper, Ray Helmlinger.

SIXTH GRADE

MRS. BROWN, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Mrs. Brown, teacher, Martha Morse, Delbert Landis, David Richards, Velma Copeland, Loretta Dryer, Patricia Abshire, Donald Howe, Sylvia Gloede, Robert Hudson, Sheri Freedline, Marjorie Mains, Patricia Pabreza, Kay Vollstedt, Terry Harris, Marrilee Sheidler, John Pantilla, William Checkley.

Middle row: Clyde Poppe, George Briesacker, Jerome Mitra, Eugene Montgomery, Tom Littman, John Beckwith, Willis Maxwell, Thurman James, Bill Bates, Kent Carpenter, Gary Sanders, Tom Sodeman.

Absent: Ruth William,

EDWARDSBURG SCHOOL SAFETY PATROL



April	18	Sock	Hop
April		Bake	Sale
May	The state of the s	Bake	Sale
May .	Pienic at	Tower	Hill

The Safety Patrol had four shifts. The first shift goes on in the morning, the second shift goes in the first half of the moon hour and at the last half half the third shift goes on The final shift goes on at night. The patrol members are from the 6th and 7th grades. They are protecting the children continuously and the children cooperate very well.

Just to make sure that the members are doing their job right their sponsor, Mr Macdonald, gave them a patrol test on March 20. The average score out of 36 possible points was 31 points.

The lieutenants of the school safety patrol are as follows. Larry Haven, Larry Bidwell, Carol Riddarsporre, and Teddy Ann Kulwicki. Their captain is Bill McNabb.

SAFETY PATROL MEMBERS

1st Smft Larry Haven Lautenant Kent Carpenter, John Beckwith, Carol Kopore Kay McNabb, Patsy Pabreza

2nd Shift Larry Bidwell Lieutenant, Tom Litman, Sherry Frestline Nancy Sode-man, Diana Myers, Marnie Brown.

3rd Shift Carol Riddarsporre, Lieutenant, Jerome Mitra, Jerry Keck, Don Lowe, Janet Leedy, Bob Thorpe

4th Smift Teddy Ann Kulwicki, Lieutenant Gene Montgomery Sue Balyeat, Barbara Anern, Robert Spenner, Kathleen Stephen

SIXTH GRADE

MRS. VAN DUSEN, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Charles Cooper, Chris Thorpe, John Elmore, Wilma Oaks, Barbara Martín, Glenn Gibbs, Barbara Cavern, Mary Brodzinski, Daniel O'Connor, James Couch, Elizabeth Mahoney.

Middle row: Shirley Haslam, Tom Kehm, Mary Hurley, Mike Seuss, David Wishart, Jared Horvath, Joseph Graffin, John Chew, Janice Shoemaker, Douglas Andrews, Mrs. Van Dusen, teacher.

Front row: Donald Mortimer, Janet Mohney, Judy Long, Donald Langguth, Wayne Fetters, Sue Balyeat, Marjorie Rasler, Kay McNabb, Dennis Patterson.

GRADE DIVISION





Doris Olson-Secretary



M.C. Blanchard-Superintendent Edwardsburg Uchools



Wazel Westfall-Principal Praces

FIFTH GRADE

MRS. BOEPPLE, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Douglas Harris, Leona Carpenter, Gayle Kehm, Joanna Leedy, Gretchen Pyle, Priscilla Whitcomb, Peter Andresen, Pamela Lovell, Judith Turnock, Karen Davis, Barbara Christoph.

Middle tow: Jerrilyn Hoien, Freddie Dorrier, Robert Batz, James Checkley, Sandra Feirick, Lessie Lawshea, Charlie Lawshea, Kathleen Rienks, Daniel Richards, Rose Fox, Karen Reed.

Front row: Mrs. Boepple, teacher, Jerry Duck, Ray Smith, Kay Jackson, Donna Haven, Robe t Chew, Edwin Kslezopolski, LuAnne Stuglik, Susan McDonald, Linda Smith.

Absent: Larry Ward, Don Pillow, Robert Valentine.

FIFTH GRADE

MRS. JONES, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Richard Higley, June Valentine, Lee Marsh, David, Checkley, Billy Suski, Donna Hoover, Hugh Anderson, Charles Weinberg, Mary Lou Kinzie, Franklin Creamer, Daniel Kulwicki, George Snyder.

Middle row: Lois Klip, Carolyn Jones, Tommy Eaton, Gary Bankston, David Sanders, Christine Sheidler, Patsy Klopfenstein, Morris Evans, Rudy Koporc, Mary Anne Gailhouse, Veda Radebaugh.

Front 10w: Mrs. Jones, teacher, Karalie Doczy, Kathryn Leach, Judith Kohler, Susie Drew, James Reeves, Terry Vandygriff, Patsy Townsend, Michael Morningstar, Sharron Carpenter.

Absent: Nancy Brown, Sara Proper.

FOURTH GRADE

MRS. PADBURY, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Barbara Littman, Elnora Creamer, Diane Walker, Karen Nichols, Gerald Griffen, Pamela Seuss, Sharon Kohler, Reaburn Butrick, William Doczy, Sandra Vandygriff, Maureen Kronewitter, Drexel Akin.

Middle row: Tom Egmer, Michael Horvath, Fred Gaskill, Edward Drew, Shirley Osborn, Judy Bolton, Lyle Bame, Robert Rubeck, Brenda Rydzinski, Fred McCormick, Larry Couch, Alex Horvath, Mrs. Padbury, teacher.

Front row: Mary Whitcomb, Barbara Lucado, William Long, Carolyn Valentine, John Smith, Sylvia Harp, George Mooth, Patricia Quinn, Anthony Pabreza, Alan Beach, Ruby Williamson, Paul Windbigler.

FOURTH GRADE

MRS. EGGERT, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Beverly Gibbs, Kay Lovell, Patrick Hurley, Robert Overmyer, Miriam Landis, John Bittle, Eileen Myers, Janice Patterson, Patricia Edwards, David Sheidler, Warren Bolton, Carolyn Kmitta, James Funkhouser.

Middle row: Vern McCain, James Niver, Judith Vollstedt, William Hudson, Jeffrey Horvath, Virgil Helmhinger, Eldon Copeland, Russell Gibbs, Helen McCormick, Donald Cavern, Linda Harris, John Rush, James Dorrier.

Front row: Cheryl Davis, Sand a Whiting, Carol Van Scoik, Wayne Bankston, Robert Theil, Anthony Petrowsky, Judith Grunewald, Robert Shireman, Sue Sodeman, Sandra Litty, Patrick Wesolowski, Mrs. Eggert, teacher.

Absent: Errol Davis, Dorothy Williams, Gwendolyn Cowan.

THIRD GRADE

MISS MARY WESTFALL, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Jane Ward, Lonnie Lue Perkins, Kathleen O'Connor, Elizabeth Thorpe, Martha Scheibelnut, Janet Emenaker, Nedra Hurley, Dian Metcalf, Shirley Landis, Sue Ann Cornwall, Carolyn Rydzinski, Josephine Stuglik.

Middle row: Mary Westfall, teacher, Billie Martin, Donald Smith Donald Christner, Louis Kujawski, John Klip, Kenneth Bowers, Charlene Kantz, Von Beckwith, Jerry Van Harlingen, Rand Eddy, Tommy Clement, Jimmy Molnar, Jimmy McCain, Donald Konrath.

Front tow, Carol Ferry, Richard Turnock, Jimmy Welsh, Jerry Myers, Shela Freeman, Kay Clark, Carla Jones, Sandra Lloyd, George Griffin, Danny Morse, Leora Lawshea.

THIRD GRADE

MRS, WARRELL, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Linda Jones, Helen Kulwicki, Kate Gibbs, Henry Jourdan, Charles Clark, Garth Maxam, Elrov Feirick, Frank Suski, Adam Brodzinski, Tim Parson, Patricia Lane, Mary Jane Kronewitter.

Middle row: Patricia Cooper, Karen Pantilla, Donna Vollstedt, Jerry Niver, John Mueller, Franklin Forrest, Betty Jo Forrest, Gary Solloway, Lyle Quimby, Kathryn Griffen, Mary Manchow, Roger Randall.

Front row: June Sanders, Constance Simbulan, Leona Vandygriff, Albert Konrath, Susanne Fiowers, Alan Pianowski, Kathryn Egmer, Patricia Davis, Gary Liggett, Mrs. Warrell, teacher.

SECOND GRADE

MISS HAZEL WESTFALL, Teacher



Back row, left to right: David Nichols, Warren Smith, Myra Jean Canfield, Carol Rinchart, Ronald Mooth, Charlotte Klopfenstein, Virginia Standiford, Nancy Armstrong, Kay Swanson, Mary Rush, Peggy Carpenter, Judith Banghart, Lonnie Williamson.

Middle row: Lorna Mitchell, Vivian Keathley, James Languth, Gary Smith, Miriam Worrell, Joseph Jendrzejewski, Michael Rienks, William Couch, Clyde Copeland, Wilma Standiford, Carolyn McCarn, David Mortimer, Wayne Haugen.

Front row: Lonnie Liggett, Cynthia Martin, Roberta Glaum, Connie Clement, Bernadette Brodzinske, Terry Henke, Gretchen Wendl, Phyllis Barker, Diana DeFreese, Carol Briesacker, Miss Hazel Westfall, teacher.

Absent: Richard Beavo.

SECOND GRADE

MRS, BLAIR, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Lyle Montgomery, Michael Smith, Donald Briesacker, Jay Windbigler, Victoria Kiezopolski, Michael Bretschneider, Snaron Whitcomb, Richard Rubeck, Judy Kendall, Steve Jones, Beverly Littman, Bill Lee Pennington, Joseph Stuglik, George Farmer, Teddy Grishaber, Terry Lane.

Middle row: Ralph Suski, Jayne Carpenter, Jeanine Leedy, Gary Miller, Connie Copper, Richard Powers, James Gibbs, Richard Becker, Harlan Hurley, Dennis Morningstar, Beverly Smith, Barbara Balyeat.

Front row: Kenneth Sodeman, Emma Chandler, Dale Holley, Sandra Banghart, Lynn Marsh, Linda Bame, Marilyn Taylor, Jonne Clark, Richard Maxwell, Lynne Akin, Mrs. Blair, teacher.

FIRST GRADE

MRS. WYSOCKI, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Gregory Davis, Richard Bigelow, Terry Shetterley, Jimmie Cripe, Leah Quimby, John Bralick, Tommy Fodrocy, Joyce Kollar, Mary Suski, Marsha Patterson, Michael Helmlinger, Sandra Probst.

Middle row: Mrs. Bette Wysocki, teacher, Gerald Beach, John Reed, Marshall Forrest, Alan Van Huffel, John Fox, Sally Jones, Charles Smith, Harry Keathley, Cheryl Odell, Fredd.e Kuespert, Dickie Gibbs.

Front row: Jack Sodeman, Tommy Couch, Michael Smith, Pat Whiting, Geraldine Leist, Glen Kentner, Diane Carpenter, Janet Warrell, Roger Mattens, Jimmy Lowe, Tommy Evans.

Absent: Kathy Horvath, Danny McCarty.

FIRST GRADE

MRS. RINEHART, Teacher



Back row, left to right, Tony Suski, Sandra Sodeman, Ruthann Fuson, Susan Maxam, Robert Beavo, Virginia Ward, Joe Bowman, Ann Follmer, Sally Smith, Jane McManus, Larry Smith, Sue Ann Horvath, Thomas Parson.

Front row: Trudy Westphal, Jerry Starkweather, Brian Claire, Roxane Martin, Beverly Shireman, Jack Rinehart, Patty Kantorowski, David Ferrick, Michael Raab, Diana Banghart, Jennifer Jackson, Kenneth Egmer, Mrs. Rinehart, teacher.

MORNING KINDERGARTEN

MRS. VANCE, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Jerel Williamson, Larry Lovell, Stanley Smith, Robert Konrath, Billy Keeley, Joyce Parsons, Betty Shireman, Barbara Smith, Roxane Taylor.

Middle row: Arnold Lovelette, Tom Kring, Linda Flowers, Nancy Trump, Robert Seggerman, Marionie Checkley, Bonnie Hawkins, Terry Bidwell, Scott Everett, George Feirick.

Front row, Mary Ann Liggett, Mary Gibbs, Mary Valentine, Gary Knapp, Phyllis Shoemaker, Irma Brown, Sandra Davis, Alby Beach, Dennis Kehoe.

Absent: Sharon Bittle, Carl Jones, Lynn Ryder.

AFTERNOON KINDERGARTEN

MRS, VANCE, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Jean Bowman, Richard Martin, Linda George, William Standiford, Laurel Harden, Mary Jean Dryer, Donald Lofthus, Beverly Landis, Laury DeLucenay, Cynthia Metcalf, Sheldon Hart, David James, Sally Tharp, Mrs. Vance, teacher.

Front row: Ron Pillow, Donn Westfall, Dale Westfall, Birdella Carpenter, Patricia Balyeat, Marilyn Davis, Linda Harry, Robert Quinn, John Meredith, Jr.

MORNING KINDERGARTEN

MRS. VAN NESS, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Tom Tompos, David Shugert, Paul Ferry, Mark Smith, Jerry Jourdan, Gail Kapore, Billy Scheibilhut, Eddie Forrest, Stephen Morse.

Middle row: Danny Bittle, George Christner, Gerold Schelstraite, Beverly Dandis, Lynn Andrews, Kenneth McCain, Luana Harris, Brian Ames, Sally Cornwall, Mrs. Van Ness, teacher.

Front row, Barbara Whiting, Elaine Turnack, Dean Westfall, Lynn Keathley, Judy Fisher, Stanley Kantarowski, Marsha Potts, Linda De-Freese, Irene Suski.

AFTERNOON KINDERGARTEN

MRS. VAN NESS, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Virginia Morris, Linda Wolf, Bobby Edwards, Jerry Westfall, Mary Jane Kulwicki, Kenneth Bishop, Donald Ort, Patty Dobrick, Jennifer Funkhouser, Judy Miller, Mrs. Van Ness, teacher.

Front row: Cecclia Littman, Linda Howe, Ronald Lowell, Carolyn Griffin, Elaine Cook, Connie Bickel, Gregory Lawsen, Sandra Quinn, Billy Brodzenski.

ADAMSVILLE

MR. SCHMIDTENDORFF, Teacher



Back row, left to right: Paul Sweitzer, Lyle Cornish, Dick Weinberg, Janet Freimund, Margaret Griffen, Marsha Solloway, Connis Rydzinski, Denny Thompson, Tommy Thomas, Margo Scoville, Floyd Kantz, Judy Eaton, Dick Bates.

Middle row: Roger Pyle, Susan Rydzinski, Linda Kirkdorfer, Landa Massey, Joel Becraft, Carl Lichtenburger, Douglas Osborn, Sandra Rink, Richard Griffen, Karen Christner.

Front row: Mary Lee Smith, Marlin Bowers, Billy Bottom, Jimmy Chew, Phyllis Rasler, David Lane, Betty Christner.

SCHOOL CLINIC



NURSE - Grace Mackenzie

PATIENT - Tommy Couch

The school clinic is a three room unit located in the new Elementary Building. Most of the equipment was purchased by the School Board. The expense of operating the clinic is paid by the P.T.A. This includes the salary of Mrs. George Mackenzie, a registered nurse. Mrs. Mackenzie is on duty each day during school hours and the noon period to care for children who become ill or are injured at school. The clinic is equipped with four cots and two of these are in a separate room to provide isolation for children suspected of having a contagious disease. An average of twenty-five children per day visit the clinic for treatment.

In case you are interested in an overall picture of patients; from September 5, 1952 to April 1, 1953, there was a total of 3,120 students from both grades and high school treated in the clinic.

HOT LUNCH



Mrs. Fetters, Mrs. Beckwith, Mrs. Proper, Mrs. Long

MONDAY

Chili and crackers
One roll with butter
Cole slaw
Cookies

TUESDAY

Beef and noodles Rolls, butter, and jelly Buttered green beans Sliced peaches Milk

WEDNESDAY

Potato salad Bologna salad sandwich Buttered peas Creme filled doughnut Milk

THURSDAY

Turkey sandwich Noodle soup and crackers Apple sauce Milk

FRIDAY

Egg salad sandwich
Potato chips
Chocolate pudding
Slice of cheese
Buttered corn
Milk

The total of meals served during the month of March was 9,273, an average of 441 per day.

Graduates of Edwardsburg High School

1888-

Jennie Hanson Ida Harward Bertha Thompson Laura Snyder Merta Miller

1893--

Dora Silver Henrietta Hadden

1894-

Blanche Williams Letta Lukenbach Hugh Beauchamp Lisle Shanahan Florence Holdeman

1896-

Miriam Graham
Grace Hogmeir
Mable Parsons
Jessie Thornton
Carrie Hadden
Alice Brady
Anna Beauchamp
Matie Cobb
Clifford Brady

1897-

Inez Smith Fred Harwood Andrew Hadden

1898-

Constance Brady Verna Paul Jessie Rickert Robert Hadden Claude Reed

1899 -

Walter Thompson Maxa Cook William Parish

1900-

Margaret Hadden Elizabeth Runkle Ida Runkle H. J. Carlisle Warren Quimby Ida Perkins Florence Parsons Marion Brady Harry Kitchen

1901-

Winifred Smith Arthur Runkle John Kitchen 1902-

Carl E. Manchow Ella Truitt Martha Hadden Arthur Brady Harry Meredith George Andrus Loyd Dunning Minnie Rogers Eleanor Bacon

1903-

Winnifred Hanson George Hadden Genevieve Light Maude Kelsey Lewis Runkle Adah Curtis

1904-

Zendella Truitt Lottie Rose Flora Martin David Bacon Charles Bement

1905-

Leona Bean
Belle Harwood
Lydia Thornton
Mary Snyder
Glenn VanAntwerp
Bessie Oliver

1906-

Thomas Head Leidy Olmsted Elizabeth Hadden Harry George

1907-

Coy Walker
Owen Breece
Edith Westfall
Grace Williams
Cora Martin

1908-

Edwin Brady
Daisy Schweitzer
Clayton Schweitzer
Frank Hicks
Walter Smith
Roy Martin

1909-

Claude Pemberton Hazel Westfall Henry Thompson Donald Bement 1910-

Mary Westfall
Ralph Dinan
Ray Westfall
Orville Quimby
Belle Thatcher
Ruth Rogers

1911-

Esther Pearson George Redfield Maurice Parsons

1912-

Ferdinand Potter Murray Wade Henry Truitt Glenn Quimby Lewis Rhoades

1913---

Elton Lahr
Tracy Click
Lewis Sherrill
John Barbier
Laah Barbier
Charles Andrus
Lumon Harris
Fleeta Morse
Georgia Tuesley
Annie Wade
Gertrude Barber

1914--

Beatrice Gall Ruth Hanson Gula Thatcher Gladys Rhoades Letta Beardsley Glenn Sherman

1915-

Angie Gayman

1916--

Percy Garl
Roger Dawson
Mason Rogers
Benjamin Bement
Howard Westfall
Jessie Way
Robert Patterson

1917-

Mary Rhoades
Marion Morse
Marion Wade
Marie Davis
Rowena Keeley
Carrol Westfall

1918-

Gladyce Claire
Mae Gall
Lora Harris
Tora Harris
Mae Morse
Albert Schermerhorn
Grayce Truitt
Homer Tuesley

1919-

Mamie Masten
Gail Rininger
Margaret Smith
Blanche Maxwell
Glenn Gilman
John Parker
Donald Maxwell
Foster Dempsey
Louisa Gall

1920-

Ruth East
Mildred Dawson
Marjorie Flak
Clarence Rhoades
Hilda Garl
Marion Beardsley
Ruth Truitt
Anason Westfall

1921 -

Merle Claire
Barton Wade
Beulah Bement
Vivian Hicks
Jacob Gall
Rollo Click
Imogene Carlisle
Maple Fisaci

1922-

Vernon Baker
Donaldine Mills
Kenneth Keene
Irvin Bowers
Ruth Waller
Alice Houtz
Harold Gilman
Clarence Conrad
Eva May Bement
Allene Allen
Ruth Krupp
Mary Hibschman
Pearl Lowe

1923--

Lynn Manchow Freman Crocker Garland Bowers J. Earnest Rhoades Russell Gilman John Garmon Lucille Gall

1924— Malcolm Tuesley Harold Tuesley Kenneth Gilman
Pauline Davis
Ruth Bernice Sampson
Ruth Fissel
Grace Claire
Bernice Runkle
Luclia Aldrich

1925-

Dale Harris
Edith Annis
Russell Click
Ruth Breece
Roseel Dale
Justin Lockwood
Harlie Long
Melvin Krupp
Mildred Dempsey

1926--

Samuel Bolton
Robert Sherman
Eleanor Davis
Dorothy Griffen
Catherine Germinder
Jeanette Friedmond
Kathryn Pedersen
Ella Worrel
Marion Conrad
Alta Bowling
Willis Gilman

1927--

Ralph Britton
Yale Ehret
Laura Bowers
Stanley Giltre
Caroline Smith
Thomas Pedersen
Ruth Smith
Howard Sherman
Edna Bishop

1928 -

Thomas Runkle
Meyer Kushner
Vera Dorman
Arthur Rinehart
Howard Garl
Mildred Smith
Esther Hoffman
Lucee Smith
Lucy Keely
Evelyn Schrump
Kenneth Jackson
Lucille Dunning

1929--

Andrew McCombs Clyde White Esther Gall Thelma Westfall Howard Dempsey Elizabeth Smith Thurl Clymer 1930 -

Duane Thornton
Dean Wilkinson
Armand Baird
Waldo Ehret
Marguerite Jasper
Ruth Jeanette Truitt

1931 -

Marian McCombs
Lynn Fickies
Joe Gessinger
Ernest Runkle
Evelyn Rininger
Roger Rinehart
Grace Miller
Harry Fetters
Marvin VanHuffel
Charles Kownover
Thelms Fetters
Steven Horvath
Duane Foster
Elizabeth Gall
Dorothy Runkle

1932 - -

Roger Smith Carolyn Sherman Eleanor Harrison Carol Bolton Lester Klincdinst Anita May Louise Oest Vonda Fiedler Cloyd Montgomery William Petersdorf Gerald McNabb Joyce Thornton Charles Renkes David Smith Loyal Lane Berdyne Sampson YaVonne Lane Eugene Harris Marjorie Fiedler

1933--

Bertha Williams Forest Klinedinst Vivian VanHuffel Dudley Cook Michael Derbin Bernita Ellis Ralph Bressler Robert Leahy Adelaide Runkle Daisy Robinson Katherine Harrison Albert Bacon Richard Schweitzer Mary Ellen Claxton Marjorie Olson Richard Smith Mary Katherine Walter Dale Claire Otis Montgomery Winafred Cook

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Caroline Shankweiler
Berdean Switzer
Harry Beagles
Arvilla Huffman
Eleanor Fickies
Vernon Smith
Don Hicks
George Bement
Hubert Martin
August Karacson
Junior Gessinger
Hobert Follmer
Helen Oest
Carrie Gearhart
William Miholich

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Roe Hayes Chester Cushway Felix Boron Howard Montgomery John Kaminski Juno Doxsee Emily Boron Margaret Walter Elizabeth Stephens Don Breasler Charles Derbin Dorris Claire Royce Campbell Elva Hagaman Howard Truitt Lyle Smith Frances Kepley

1936--

James Harrison
Dale Klinedinst
Rose Petersdorf
Russell Smith
Doris French
Richard Stone
Richard Follmer
Lewis Runkle
Charles Bement, Jr.
Hazel Stalter

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Kathryn Pickard Gerald Lane Darwin Dunning Eleanor Bacon Robert Valentine Burt Davis Allie May Olds Josephine Dryer Elizabeth Kairis Janet Beals Doris Olson Walter Baird Alice Sharp Jean Stone William Bolton Robert Dunning

1939--

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Morris VanCamp Phyllis Ross Nathan Metcalf Mary Belle Olds Stanley Brelowski Jean Olson Robert Williams Mae Tiedemann George Tiedemann Clifford Sharp Maurice Truitt Charles Keifer Esther Truitt Val Ratkowski Maxine Renwick Earl Fickies Marjorie McKinney Norman Miller Grace Hitchinson Marian Duncan Jeanne Baird

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Robert Bretschneider

Dale Keeley

Richard Franz

Wilma Story

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Kenneth Bishop Dean Hamilton Jack Sanders Eugene Williamson Elsie Kantorowski

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Mary Krecioch Peggy Thompson Richard Johnson Betty Allen Patricia Gillette Raymond Simbulan Nancy Crothers Raymond Bray Mary Bretschneider Elaine Miles Loward Kehoe Robert Lane Jean Krecioch Barbara Andrus Robert Curtis Jean Ireland Herman Bishop Raymond Carpenter Margaret Keely James Bigelow Maxine Banghart Marian Starkweather

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Jean Reinochl
Martha Bame
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Doris Beach
Rosemary Taylor
Barbara Austin
Marjorie Silver
Joan Boron
Shirley Bailey

Melva Freligh Marjorie Curtis Shirley Griffen Ralph Ganger

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Nora Bailey Charles Bickel Evelyn Bigelow Norma Claire Patricia Clausen Edward Eggert Fred Gardner Lucille Gauvreau Pauline Grove Richard Huffman David Ireland Joan Kehoe Vera Kirkdorfer George Kitchen Carl Larson George Pabreza Lois Rinehart Jack Scheibelhut Russell Starkweather Louis Stennis, Jr. Frances VanScork Ann Williamson Carol Zimmer

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Don Chew
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William Farmer
James Gardner
Harvey Gordon

Alfred Hoffer
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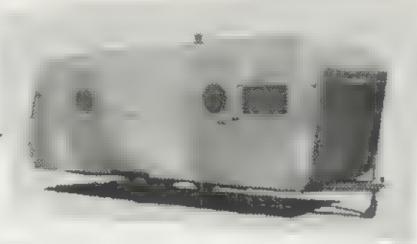
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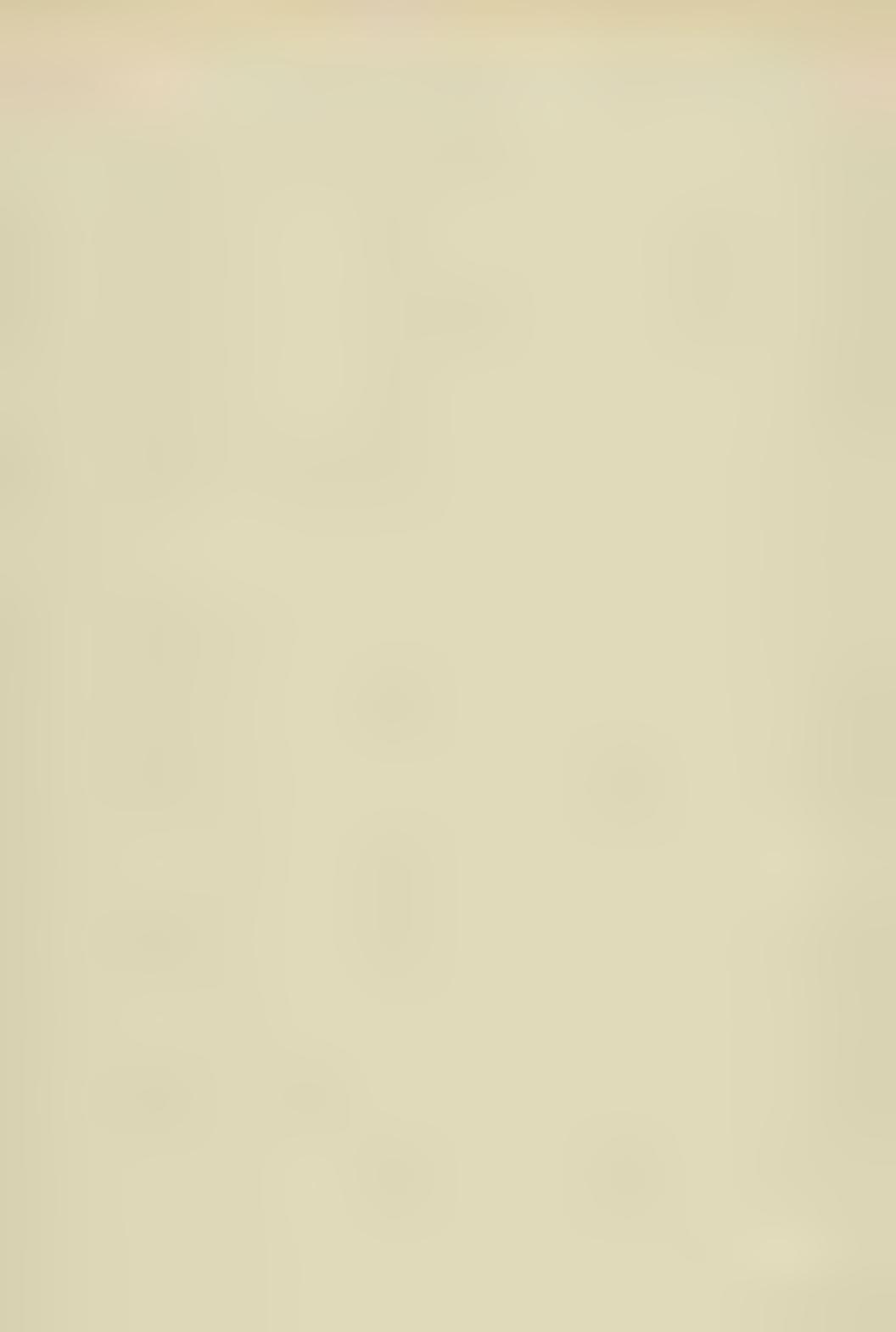
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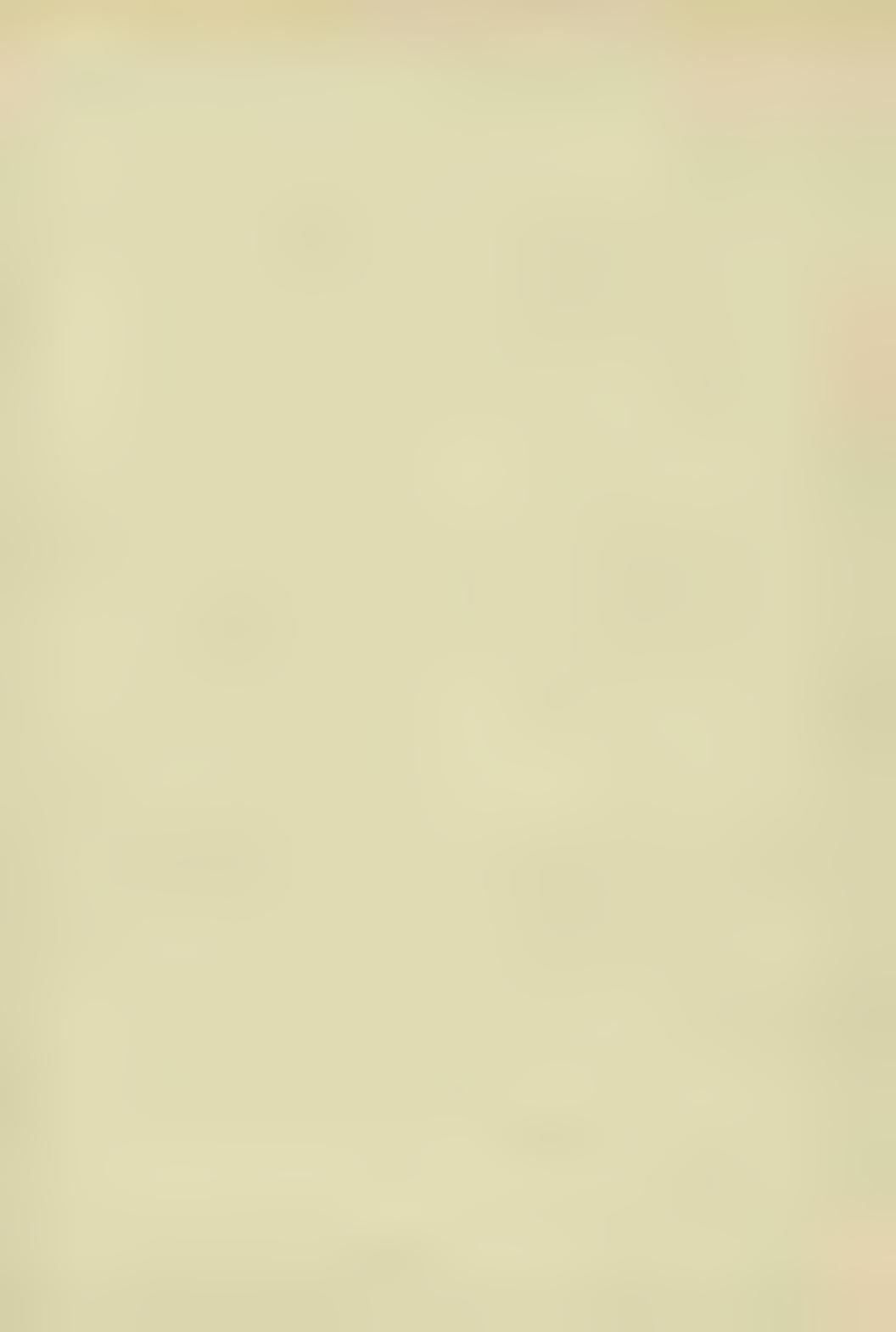
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